

# 'WARFARE OF GOVERNORS' STALEMATED

## Courts or Legislature May Have to Make Last Decision

Springfield, Ill., April 9—(AP)—Either the courts or the legislature may be asked to settle the stormy dispute between Governor Horner and Lieut. Governor John Stelle over who shall exercise the powers of governor of Illinois.

This view was expressed widely today among state officials speculating privately on the outcome of Stelle's action in proclaiming himself acting chief executive of

### Untouched

(By The Associated Press)

The fall of Oslo and Copenhagen today brought two more European capitals under Nazi sway.

In little more than two years gray-clad Nazi legions have swept through these capitals signifying conquest of Austria, Czechoslovakia, the Memel territory and Poland in this order:

Vienna—March 13, 1938.  
Prague—March 15, 1939.  
Memel—March 22, 1939.  
Free City of Danzig—Sept. 1, 1939.  
Warsaw—Sept. 27, 1939.  
And now Oslo and Copenhagen.

the state, a move which brought from Horner the defiant declaration: "I will continue to serve as governor."

While Horner thus vowed intention to stay in office and Stelle contended the chief executive was "disabled" by illness, authorities agreed that the state's 1870 Constitution provides no clearcut procedure for deciding the controversy. Veteran statehouse employees said the dispute is the first of its nature in state history.

Horner declared in the statement issued from the executive mansion that he had been elected by the people and would "continue to perform my constitutional duty as governor until the expiration of my term."

### Attempted "Intimidation"

The Horner statement referred to Stelle's moves yesterday in signing a special legislative session call and "firing" Finance Director S. L. Nudelman as "pathetic antics" intended to "intimidate" state employees.

Nudelman and other administration officials said they would ignore Stelle's acts, but the possibility of a legal test of the dispute arose out of the lieutenant governor's attempt to remove the finance director.

The finance director must approve all state expenditures before warrants are issued in payment by the office of Auditor Edward J. Barrett. If Barrett—who is a political ally of Stelle—refused to recognize Nudelman as finance director, the possibility was seen that a tying up of state expenditures would produce quick court action.

Another prospect was that the legislature, summoned by both Horner and Stelle to meet April 20 in special session, would be asked to create a commission to investigate Horner's condition. Statements of intent to ask such an inquiry have been made by several Democratic and Republican legislators in both houses.

### Copy of Letters to Barrett

Stelle's first act, after proclaiming himself de facto governor yesterday, was to send a letter to Nudelman "removing" him from office for "incompetency, neglect of duty and malfeasance in office." Stelle said he sent a copy of the letter to Auditor Barrett.

Refusing to be fired, Nudelman declared "I will continue to carry out the duties of my office."

These were other developments in the controversy:

Stelle declared in the final speech of his governorship campaign in Chicago last night he would continue to function as acting governor after today's primary. He declared he would "put an end" to the "regency" he claims rules the state.

State Rep. Joseph Sam Perry (D-Glen Ellyn) threatened to start impeachment action against Stelle in the legislature.

George M. Maypole of Chicago, president pro tem of the state senate and candidate for lieutenant governor in today's Democratic primary, issued a statement siding with Stelle in the dispute.

Chief Walter Williams of the state highway police announced

## When 126,000 Eggs Were Scrambled on Pavement



Scene on U. S. Route 52, about three miles south of Dixon Sunday afternoon, shortly after a trailer truck of the Kosschell Produce Co., of Edgerton, Minn., jack-knifed, scattering its cargo of 10,500 dozen of eggs about the countryside. The pavement extremely slippery and its removal was a real task for highway officials.

## Telegraph Plans Full Coverage of Today's Election

The Evening Telegraph is prepared to furnish prompt, accurate returns of the battle of the ballots of the primary election tonight. The Associated Press leased wire will be in operation from 6 P. M. throughout the night, to furnish bulletins from all parts of the state, until the winner on the state and district tickets is decided.

Only scattering returns are expected in the first hour or two of the bulletin service. Definite trends of the races may be available by 9 P. M., but if any of the contests should be close it probably will be well past the midnight hour before the victor may be predicted.

Arrangements have been made for complete service from each voting precinct in Lee county for all candidates on both the Republican and Democratic tickets, from top to bottom of the ballots.

Local and state returns will be broadcast direct from The Telegraph office to loud speakers in Covert's cigar store, James' billiards, The Hub, Rainbow Inn, United cigar store and Elks club. Returns will also be announced at an "adult stag" at the American Legion headquarters in the Hotel Dixon basement.

## Candidate Closes His Drive With Talkathon

Belleville, Ill., April 9—(AP)—George E. Harry, who closed his campaign for the Democratic nomination for congress with a 52-hour talkathon, recovered in bed today—hoping he would get up in time to vote.

He rented a hall over a saloon last Saturday and announced he would "filibuster" until the polls opened today for the primary election.

Sleepy-eyed, his voice a whisper, Harry stopped last night a few hours short of his consecutive talking goal by which he hoped to prove his ability as a legislator.

Harry's talkathon was against Congressman Edwin M. Schafer, candidate for reelection from the 22nd district, who he said "has not made a speech or passed a single piece of legislation in eight years."

## Grapefruit in Clothes, Apple Milk in Candy, Perfume Made from Oil!

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 9—(AP)—Apple milk is going to make medicine and candy, grapefruit will appear in women's clothes as part of beautiful dyes, and a bucket of engine oil will be made to smell like fresh fruits and old-fashioned flowers.

These are discoveries of new chemical processes reported to the American Chemical Society today. The apple milk was reported by F. C. Vilbrandt and R. D. Siegel of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va. Whole apples are ground to pulp. The pulp is mixed with skim milk, and a new food is the result.

Flavored, the apple milk makes good candy. For medicine it contains the ingredients of apple already widely-used for infant diarrhea.

## Election Violence Starts Early Today When Chicago's Southwest Side Polling Places are Opened

### One Man Shot, Second Slugged Within Two Hours, Police Say

Chicago, April 9—(AP)—One man was shot and another was slugged today within two hours after the polls were opened in Chicago.

Bright, mild weather attracted an early turnout, leading to predictions that 1,500,000 of Chicago's 1,707,879 registered voters will have voted before the closing hour.

Andrew Borkowski, 39, a Republican precinct captain in the 12th precinct of the 21st ward (Southwest side) was wounded superficially in the head by a bullet which police said was fired by Mrs. May Vitovec, 47. Police quoted her as saying:

"He made a lot of trouble all over the ward with the state's attorney's office. He knows what I mean."

The shooting was reported to have occurred in a polling place but police were unable to learn immediately whether the election was involved.

### Worker Slugged

The first reported violence of the day was the slugging of a Democratic precinct worker in the 36th precinct of the 16th ward by one of three men who accosted him on the sidewalk near the polling place.

The three men fled in an automobile in which two other men were waiting.

Lawrence Chopp, Democratic precinct captain, said the worker, whose name he did not know, had just left the polling place after leaving candy with the election officials. Chopp said one of the three men carried a pistol and the others held hands in their pockets as though they were carrying pistols. The one with the gun slugged the worker, Chopp said.

The election board checked one precinct in each ward at 8 A. M. and found 182,400 Democratic and 63,110 Republican votes had been cast up to that hour. County Judge Edmund K. Jarecki, head of the county election system, said the figures indicated 1,500,000 would be cast during the day.

## Terse News

### LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license has been issued by County Clerk Sterling Schrock to Emsley W. Matthews and Miss Ida Vancil, both of Amboy.

### LICENSED IN IOWA

A marriage license has been issued in Clinton, Ia., to Harry Bokker of Byron, Ill., and Margaret Evelyn Farnham, Rockford, Ill.

### HERE THURSDAY

For the convenience of employers and employees in this vicinity who desire assistance and information relative to the Social Security program, Walter R. Borman, manager of the Rockford field office of the social security board will be in the city council room, Thursday, from 11 to 3 P. M.

### ELKS JOIN C. OF C.

Dixon lodge of Elks, No. 779, is the first fraternal organization in the city to take membership in the Dixon Chamber of Commerce. In keeping with the progressive program of Elks lodges throughout the United States, President Walter Knack was today notified that the lodge had voted unanimously to become affiliated with the local chamber by holding a sustaining membership.

### MUST WAIT FOR PAY

Judges and clerks of the general election being held today will be required to wait until after the May meeting of the board of supervisors for their checks. Previously election expense claims have been audited and allowed at the special organization meeting of the board, which will not be necessary this year because no opposition appeared to the election of Harvey O. Risetter of Willow Creek township for the chairmanship of the board. Claims which were acted upon at the April meeting of the board last Thursday are now obtainable upon application at the county clerk's office.

## The Weather

### TUESDAY, APR. 9, 1940

(By The Associated Press)

For Chicago and vicinity: Fair tonight; Wednesday generally fair; no decided change in temperature; lowest tonight 38 to 40 degrees; gentle to moderate winds, mostly north and northeast.

Illinois: Fair tonight and probably Wednesday; rising temperature Wednesday and near East St. Louis tonight.

Wisconsin: Fair tonight, except possibly showers or snow flurries in extreme north portion, not quite so cool in extreme southwest; partly cloudy to cloudy and somewhat warmer Wednesday; occasional rain in extreme north.

Iowa: Generally fair, not so cool tonight, except in extreme east-central portion; partly cloudy Wednesday; warmer in east and south.

LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today: maximum temperature 47; minimum 38; cloudy; precipitation .05 inches, total for April to date 1.20 inches, total for year to date 7.02 inches.

Wednesday: sun rises at 5:30; sets at 6:35.

# Norway Will Fight Nazi Invasion: Allied Aid on Way: Danes Unresisting

## Seat of Norwegian Government Moved to Hamar Today

### BULLETIN

London, April 9.—(AP)—Rome radio reports intercepted in London today said communications between Germany and Hungary had been severed.

### BULLETIN

London, April 9.—(AP)—Unconfirmed reports from Stockholm which reached London today via Amsterdam said that the 26,000-ton German battleship Gneisenau and possibly other German warships had been sunk.

### BULLETIN

New York, April 9.—(AP)—A Berlin short-wave broadcast picked up by NBC at 1:30 P. M. (12:30 P. M. P. S. T.) today reported that three British fighting planes were shot down by German Messerschmitts in an aerial battle off the west coast of Norway.

### BULLETIN

Washington, April 9.—(AP)—An interrupted message received by the state department at 11 A. M. (10 A. M. C. S. T.) indicated today that an air raid on Oslo, Norway, began at that time.

The uncompleted message was given out by department officials to reporters gathered at Secretary Hull's daily press conference. It was from Raymond E. Cox, first secretary of the United States legation in Oslo and said:

"Foreign office states that German ministry informed it that Germany had no intention to violate territorial integrity and political independence of Norway now or in the future and advised not to resist. Its information from Norwegian."

"Here the Oslo operator interrupted the message with the explanation: 'Air raid, have to run away.'"

Then the operator stopped sending.

German land, sea and air forces today invaded Norway and Denmark, quickly capturing their capitals, Oslo and Copenhagen.

Other strategic points also fell before the Nazi onslaught extending the European war far into Scandinavia.

Situated at Germany's mercy, Denmark gave in without a struggle as far as was known.

Norway put up a fight. The government fled to Hamar 60 miles north of Oslo. The United States minister, Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, followed the government and said the Norwegian royal family also had gone to Hamar.

Dispatches from Stockholm said the Norwegians had set up a defense line between Oslo and Hamar and had shot down two German planes.

Paris heard the allied fleet already was fighting engagements with the German fleet off the Norwegian coast.

Prime Minister Chamberlain, pledging full allied aid to Norway, said in the House of Commons only that "powerful units of the navy are at sea" and that details

## Spread of European War Gives Uncle Sam Three Urgent Problems to Solve

Washington, April 9—(AP)—The explosive spread of Europe's war to Scandinavia confronted the administration with three urgent problems today:

1. The safety of some 3,000 American nationals caught in the new theatre of hostilities.
2. The question of a new presidential proclamation formally designating Norway—and perhaps Denmark—as a belligerent under the neutrality act.
3. The matter of protecting American shipping interests in the invaded countries, and possible action on extending the prescribed combat zone to include the waters around the North Cape.

Decision on the steps the government would take awaited the return of President Roosevelt and Secretary of State Hull to the Capital.

The president, awakened in the middle of the night at Hyde Park,

### International

(By The Associated Press)

London—Germany invades Norway and Denmark; Norwegians fight back; Denmark succumbs without apparent resistance; Britain pledges full military and naval aid to Norwegians; Chamberlain says major British naval units are at sea; accuses Germany of planning invasion before British minelaying.

Stockholm—Oslo surrenders to German forces.

Berlin—Germany strikes into Scandinavia accusing allies of plans for similar step soon; Denmark and Norway urged to refrain from resisting; high command announces "occupation of the most important objective in all Norway" is proceeding rapidly; reich intends occupation for duration of war to protect vital supply sources.

Paris—Emergency cabinet meeting promises full aid to Norway; Oslo radio says Norwegian government fled to Hamar after four German warships repulsed from Oslofjord; Bergen and Trondheim occupied.

Belgrade—High authority reports "Germany demands that Yugoslavia, Hungary, Bulgaria and Rumania accept German police patrol along Danube to protect reich's vital supply route."

Washington—United States Minister, Mrs. Harriman, reports "Norway is at war with Germany."

The Hague—Netherlands frightened by Scandinavian invasion; further army leaves cancelled.

Rome—Italy silent on new strokes by axis partner; German ambassador visits Premier Mussolini.

## The War Today!

### By DEWITT MACKENZIE

The Anglo-French mine-field, sowed in neutral Norwegian waters, has blown up in Europe's face, as was a foregone conclusion. The result is the beginning of the general European war which the world has feared and which now may be expected to spread.

The break has come after a series of most extraordinary events. On Saturday Norwegian Foreign Minister Koht declared that any such interruption of shipping would drag his country into the war. Sunday the Allies laid their mines and sat back to see what would happen. Last night Koht's prediction came true.

Because the reaction in the mine-laying experiment was certain, it must be assumed that the allies weren't surprised, to say the least.

Nazidom today charges that "for months England and France have attempted to make a new battlefield out of Scandinavia." The allies have denied similar claims before, and will deny this.

However, the thing which matters is that a battlefield has been opened up there now. The important fact remaining to be disclosed is just how well set the allies and Germany have been to take advantage of the situation.

Germany has moved first, but it

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### Report Naval Action

A British source said there was "naval action in progress somewhere near the coast of Norway" and the British Press Association said there might be "good news forthcoming" in the next 12 to 24 hours, but later asked subscribers to delete this sentence.

King Christian of Denmark and Premier Stauning were reported by the German news agency to

N. Y., made preparations to return quickly to the White House. Hull, taking a rest at Atlantic City, also arranged to get back to his desk at once.

The first official word of the reich's swift hammer blows on the Scandinavian flank reached the capital shortly after midnight from Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, United States minister to Norway.

"The American minister to Oslo, Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, telegraphed to the department of state tonight that the foreign minister has informed her that the Norwegians fired on four German warships coming up Oslo fjord and that Norway is at war with Germany."

She reported that the British and French ministers at Oslo had requested the American legation there to take over the interests of their nations in Norway whenever evacuation was necessary.

## Germans Occupy Oslo and Copenhagen as "Protection"

have urged the Danish people to remain calm while the nation submitted to invasion under protest.

President Roosevelt and Secretary Hull broke vacations in Hyde Park and Atlantic City and headed back to Washington to devote their full attention to the expanding European war.

This afternoon the German government announced that the Norwegian capital, Oslo, had been occupied without incident.

### Accepts "Protection"

The German radio said Denmark had decided to accept "German protection." The German high command said occupation of Norway was "proceeding rapidly" and that "a slight local resistance by Norwegian troops has ceased."

Britain and France immediately promised Norway full aid to fight Germany.

Germany handed identical notes

## Conquered

Springfield, Ill., April 9—(AP)—Lieut. Governor John Stelle's call for a special session of the legislature on April 30 still lay untouched today on a counter in the outer office of Secretary of State Edward J. Hughes.

Hughes and subordinates in his office refused to move the document from the spot where Stelle put it yesterday when he signed the proclamation declaring himself to be acting governor.

Hughes said a legislative call, to be valid, had to have his signature as well as the state seal. Stelle declared, however, his proclamation would be sent to legislators with or without the official seal.

to the Norwegian and Danish governments asserting the invasion was aimed at getting the jump on the allies, who were accused by the reich of planning a similar "surprise occupation" themselves.

Chamberlain declared in Commons that German charges the allies planned to take war into Scandinavia were a figment of the Nazi imagination. Germany's plans to strike north were made before British mines were sowed off the Norwegian coast, said Chamberlain, charging the reich was trying for complete economic and political domination of Scandinavia.

Urging the Scandinavians to refrain from resisting, Germany said she was taking the two nations under her "protection" for duration of the war to guard vital German supply sources.

### Communication Disrupted

Direct communications with the invaded nations were disrupted, but these pieces of the grim war emerged:

Trondheim and Bergen on Norway's west coast were occupied; possibly Narvik, the vital iron port, too. The Norwegian government abandoned Oslo and established headquarters 60 miles farther north, at Hamar. Four German warships were driven off from Oslofjord by coastal batteries. Kristiansund was bombed.

The United States minister to Norway, Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, reported "Norway is at war with Germany," the only official statement which reached the United States government.

There were indications an important German-British maritime battle had been fought somewhere off Scandinavia but the British Admiralty would make no comment.

While attention was riveted on the suddenly-created northern war front, Belgrade reports said Germany had demanded that Hungary, Yugoslavia, Bulgaria and Rumania accept German river police along the entire length of the Danube.

The report followed close on German charges yesterday that Rumania had uncovered a British plot to blow up a Danube bottleneck with dynamite barges.

War in Scandinavia brought immediate reaction from other neutrals fearing a like fate. Sweden was reported to have ordered swift mobilization. The Netherlands cancelled any further army leaves.

Italy offered no comment, but the German ambassador called on Premier Mussolini to tell him

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# Of Interest to Farmers

## Weekly Commodity Review

Courtesy of Wayne Hummer & Co. of Chicago

### CORN

After several weeks of almost complete stagnation in the futures market, some activity developed on Thursday and Friday, and prices moved out of the range of the past six weeks. The firmer tone appeared to be a reflection of strength in the cash market, due to continued scarcity of country offerings and well sustained premiums. Official estimates that total loans would aggregate 275 million bushels, and therefore that by the first of October, the government would own or control 525 million bushels, were construed to indicate supplies of unseparated corn on farms October first, of about 2,600 million bushels, assuming a crop of 2,400 million bushels this year. That amount would compare with 2,935 million bushels last year, and 2,895 million bushels in 1938. This of course, would not relieve world markets of the weight of the 525 million bushels of government owned corn, which was figured by a local authority to include, in addition to the 275 million bushels from the 1939 crops, 135 million bushels old corn on farms, and 115 million bushels owned outright by the government, in terminal and country elevators and in tanks at country stations. Prices in Buenos Aires rallied about two cents from the extreme low of the season, although the official estimate of this year's crop, to be released on Saturday morning, is expected to show a yield equal to, or exceeding any previous record. There has been very little export interest, and a statement from the Department of Agriculture, offered small hope of any substantial foreign outlet after the new Argentine crop begins to move in volume next month, as the quality is believed to be very good.

### OATS

There has been more activity and a wider range, prices recovering rather sharply from a mid-week break, and closing slightly higher than on last Friday. Seedling has made fair progress, some sections reporting the work completed, but indications are for some reduction in acreage, and the crop at best, is getting a late start. Shipping demand has been active, sales aggregating 178,000 bushels, but some increase in offerings from the northwest, has resulted in a moderate decline in cash premiums. The visible supply decreased 329,000 bushels, and now totals only 6,858,000 bushels.

### SOY BEANS

A severe decline on Wednesday was only partially recovered, and prices are now at the lowest level since the latter part of February. Liquidation of old crop contracts failed to attract support from processors, who apparently have their requirements provided for. Demand for meal was slow, but with March contracts fulfilled, the spread between resellers prices and larger mill quotations has narrowed to about 50 cents a ton, with offerings light. The first trades in October contracts were made on Friday with a fair business developing, mostly at a discount of 15 cents under July.

Kentucky leads all states in the production of tobacco. Its average annual crop of about 500 million pounds is estimated as about 30 percent of the entire production of the United States.

Ivory shavings are converted, by burning, into a black powder known as ivory black, used chiefly in the mixing of artists' paints.

Maine has 3,145 square miles of water surface. The state has more than 1,600 lakes.

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## MODERN SYSTEMS REDUCE THE COST OF FEEDING SWINE

Swine sanitation, balanced rations, use of self-feeders and legume pasture have helped reduce the cost of producing pork almost 30 per cent during the past 20 years on a group of east central Illinois farms where cost account records were kept by the University of Illinois college of agriculture.

Cost of producing 100 pounds of pork on the farms declined from an average of \$9.90 for the five-year period 1920-24 to \$7.01 for 1934-38, according to R. H. Wilcox, associate professor of farm management.

Conducted on Champaign and Piatt county farms, the cost account studies show that economies in feed, labor and other cost items were made possible as a result of changes in hog management. In the five-year period 1920-24 there were 508 pounds of corn, oats and wheat fed to obtain 100 pounds gain, while in the period 1934-38 only 434 pounds of grain were required. During the years which elapsed between the beginning and the end of the period, there was an increase in the amount of protein concentrates used in 1920, and the ratio of protein concentrates to farm grains increased nearly two and one-fourth times the ratio of these feeds in 1920.

### Amount of Tankage

The amount of tankage, tankage equivalent and other proteins fed in the ration increased from 13 pounds for 100 pounds gain in hogs in 1920-24 to 26 pounds in 1934-38. Between these periods, farm grain required in producing 100 pounds of live hog declined 74 pounds.

"Not all the saving in grain came from the use of better balanced grain rations, although it probably had a major influence some of the saving was no doubt the result of better hog sanitation and use of more legume pastures. Hogs in this area today are allowed to run on pasture nearly seven times as many days as they were 20 years ago. The practice of allowing pigs to run in husked corn fields is general in the area. In 1920 a total of 8 per cent of the growing pigs were on legume pasture for varying lengths of time. Twelve per cent of the co-operating farmers that year did not place their hogs on pasture of any kind, and hog pasture on the rest of the farms was principally corn stalk fields. In 1938, 43 per cent of the pigs were on legume pasture during the entire spring and summer months the remaining 57 per cent were on non-legume pasture. "It is the opinion of farmers in these two counties that much more self-feeding and less hand-feeding is being practiced today than 20 years ago. Regardless of the economies of the two methods in the utilization of feed by hogs, the self-feeder method requires less man labor and permits the use of the truck to refill the self-feeders only as needed and wherever they may be located on the farm."

For ornamental or landscape purposes."

## Farmers Intending to Use Seedlings Urged To Order Immediately

Illinois farmers who intend to use tree seedlings from the State Division of Forestry for reforestation and soil conservation purposes this spring are urged to send their orders to the Division immediately.

Although 5,500,000 seedlings have been prepared, approximately 3,000,000 have already been reserved and nine of the 18 species originally available are exhausted, Assistant Director Anton J. Tomasek said today.

"Trees are available for the reforestation of Illinois lands unfit for agriculture, for improvement of already existing forests and for soil erosion control," Tomasek said. "Under no condition may trees from state nurseries be used

## Contour Farming One of Steps in Soil Conservation



R. C. HAY, agricultural engineering extension, College of Agriculture, University of Illinois.

Disadvantages of farming crooked contour rows and point rows are offset by the saving of soil, possible increased crop yields and reduced power and fuel costs, points out R. C. Hay, extension agricultural engineer of the University of Illinois College of Agriculture.

Contour farming is one of the five key practices being stressed in Illinois in 1940 to get more conservation of soil, water and human resources. The other practices are pasture improvement, seeding more legumes, spreading more limestone and tree planting.

The first thing that farming on the level contour does is to save soil and moisture. Each furrow acts as a small reservoir to hold back surface runoff. The shortage of soil moisture this spring makes its moisture-conserving feature especially valuable.

Hay says that contour farming can be started simply by marking off some contour guide lines in the field. Hand levels and farm drainage levels are suitable for locating the lines and they can be obtained from local farm advisers. "Contour farming is the first step in adopting more positive erosion control practices, such as terracing and strip cropping. Once contour farming is tried and accepted as a good conservation practice, terracing then comes easy for the farmer."

Hay cites the example of Earl Kirkpatrick of Warren county, who is well pleased with his first contour farming attempts, as are other farmers who have tried the practice. As a result, he is also doing some terracing on his farm. Kirkpatrick received assistance from E. H. Walworth, Warren county farm adviser, and H. A. DeWerrf, assistant soil conservationist, although he has done most of the planning and layout work himself, having made his own level and rod.

The following species are obtainable from the Division in orders totalling 500 or more: Black walnut, black locust, green ash, catalpa, silver maple, red oak, Osage orange, tulip, poplar and shortleaf pine.

Tulip poplar and shortleaf pine are recommended for planting in the southern third of the state only, Tomasek said.

## Registered Cattle Purchased by Lee County Stockmen

The American Guernsey Cattle club of Peterborough, N. H. has announced several recent sales of registered cattle in Lee county. W. L. Baumgartner of Walnut has sold a registered bull to George Montavon & Sons of West Brooklyn. This animal is Prince Royal's Blossom Mae 619988.

C. A. Balcom of Ohio has sold a registered Guernsey bull to P. A. Lauer of Sublette. This animal is Shark of Oakley Lodge 269443. Mr. Balcom has also sold to E. G. Topper of Dixon a registered Guernsey bull, Pride Alert of Bunning Farm 274411 and to Albert B. Allen & Son of Dixon a registered Guernsey bull, Wally 282777. Leo Dietelre also of Dixon has purchased a registered bull, Van Itsie 282773, from the Ohio breeder.

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## WALNUT YOUTH IS FEATURED IN AG PROGRAM

Harold D. Hoffman of Walnut who has won national fame as an orator on the saving of soil was featured in a dramatized broadcast over station WLW, Cincinnati on Saturday. Officials of the University of Illinois college of agriculture assisted with arrangements for the presentation.

The broadcast, sponsored by the U. S. Soil Conservation Service, began at noon and featured the oration entitled "Save Our Soil" with which young Hoffman won second prize in the national oratorical contest of the Future Farmers of America last October.

Professional actors of the radio station staff took the parts of Hoffman, of C. M. Hatland, vocational agriculture teacher, who sponsored the Walnut youth in the oratorical contest, and of other people who played a part in Hoffman's contest career.

### Data From Bureau County

Much of the material for Hoffman's oration was gathered from Bureau county farms where the owners and operators are working with Farm Adviser Paul V. Dean, the extension service of the U. of I. college of agriculture and the U. S. Department of Agriculture in carrying out an organized program of soil improvement and erosion control.

Hoffman has been active in both the FFA organization and his local 4-H club for several years. He has held state offices in the FFA and local offices in the 4-H club at various times. He is now a freshman in North Central college at Naperville.

The series of Soil Conservation broadcasts over WLW is entitled "Fortunes Washed Away." The Saturday broadcast featuring Hoffman focused national attention upon the drive which the U. of I. and the various agencies of the Department of Agriculture are making to get greater conservation of physical and human resources.

## PRAIRIEVILLE FFA BOY WINS CONTEST AT FRANKLIN GROVE

Young Wayne Frederichs won top honors at the sectional Future Farmers of America speaking contest at Franklin Grove Friday night. His speech, "The Land Talks," was a study in soil erosion and control.

Friedrichs, who competed in a sectional to which 19 schools were eligible to send participants, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Friedrichs of Prairieville and a sophomore in the Sterling Township high school.

Second place honors in the contest were won by Ray Voss of Erie and Robert Wilson was accorded third place. Kenneth Manon presided as chairman and awarded the medals to the contest winners: a gold one to Friedrichs and a silver one to Voss. Two teachers from Franklin Grove high school and M. R. Dunk, agriculture teacher at Mt. Morris, were the judges.

Friedrichs will now compete at the district, the place for which he will be announced later. He will compete with four other sectional winners. The winner of this district meet will be eligible to talk at the State contest in June.

John Paul Jones, Revolutionary war naval hero, was buried obscurely in France in 1792. His remains were removed to the United States in 1905 and were buried with honor at Annapolis cemetery.

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## Franklin Grove Man Is 82; Reviews 56 Years Devoted to Calling Auction Sales



Frank D. Kelley of Franklin Grove, pictured above with his only great-grandchild, Francis Vaupel of Leaf River, celebrated his eighty-second birthday anniversary Sunday at the Vaupel home. He is believed to have conducted more auction sales than any other man in the state of Illinois.

By LOIS J. STIMELING

It appears that Frank D. Kelley of Franklin Grove has spent more years auctioneering and has sold more auction sales than any other man in Illinois. Fifty-six years is a long time to have devoted to any one job—particularly a job one didn't want in the first place—but that's exactly what this man, who was celebrating his eighty-second birthday anniversary Sunday, has done.

Mr. Kelley, who is known throughout Franklin Grove and beyond as "Gramp," has never heard of another person who has been auctioneering even approximately as long as he has, nor does he believe anyone can approach his record for the number of sales he has conducted.

"I guess I've sold more sales than any man in the state," he admits, (an admission that is made with a hint of reluctance, for Gramp is modest about his accomplishments, and is quick to tell you he'd "much rather talk about other people than myself").

"I suppose I've sold over 2,500 sales, anyway—and I never missed a sale I was billed for," Gramp says. Bitter cold may be the day, and the roads a stretch of ice, but the sale bills are out, and the "show must go on"—such is the tradition of Mr. Kelley's auctioneering.

Soft-spoken and mild-mannered, Gramp is a keep observer. He is, nevertheless, slow to criticize harshly, and delights in a good laugh.

"I never wanted to be an auctioneer," he declares. "It was sort of forced upon me." Then he'll tell you how he found himself "knocking off" his first assignment. A man who wanted to move was heard to remark that he would sell his household goods if he could find an auctioneer. There was no auctioneer nearer than Mt. Morris at that time, but someone suggested: "Go

get Frank Kelley—he'll sell them for you"—thus Gramp began his career as an auctioneer.

### Never Solicits a Sale

"I've never asked for a sale, and I'll never advertise for one," he says, and while describing his feelings on the matter, again reminds you that "I didn't want to be an auctioneer in the first place." The buying and selling contagion continues, however, and Gramp, (whose next auction is scheduled for this coming Saturday), receives his share of the calls.

Gramp, whose 82 years rest lightly on his shoulders, admits he has seen a lot of funny things in the 56 years he has been conducting auctions. For instance, when he was younger, he thought it was fun to listen to a wife bidding against her husband. But in later years, he explains, "I'd tell them, and wouldn't let them do it. I thought it wasn't right."

His biggest sale was a farm (the Clear Creek farm, now owned by the Charles W. Lehman estate), which brought \$15,300 a number of years ago. Harry War-

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ner clerked the sale, the Franklin Grove man remembers.

### Born at Grand Detour

Mr. Kelley was born at Grand Detour, April 7, 1858, the only son of George W. and Mahala (Townsend) Kelley. His mother came from Pennsylvania, and his maternal grandmother, according to family history, lived in Bolton, Mass., during the Revolutionary war.

When their son was three years old, the Kelleys moved to Calhoun county, and then came to Franklin Grove, where Gramp has made his home since he was six. He was only 12 years old when his father died.

His marriage to Miss Jane Plessinger of Franklin Grove took place Dec. 18, 1880. Since her death in the spring of 1932, he has made his home with a son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelley. Another son, Fred, resides east of Franklin Grove, and Mrs. Grace Jeter of Ashton is a daughter.

### Family Party

Mr. Kelley marked the beginning of his eighty-third year Sunday by attending a birthday party at the home of a granddaughter, Mrs. Paul Vaupel, in Leaf River. Mr. Vaupel is a faculty member in the Leaf River high school, and their little two-year-old son, Francis, is the Franklin Grove man's only great-grandchild.

Relatives from Dixon, Ashton, Franklin Grove, Oregon and Leaf River were present for the celebration Sunday. Mrs. George Knouse, who is a granddaughter of the guest of honor, and Mr. Knouse attended from Dixon. Another granddaughter, Miss Pauline Kelley, who is a graduate nurse at Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital, was unable to be present. There are eight grandchildren in all.

With a twinkle in his alert eyes, Gramp tells how he used to celebrate the Fourth of July. "They'd give me ten cents. I'd walk to town (we lived about two miles out from Franklin Grove then), buy a nickel's worth of firecrackers and some peanuts—and I had a big Fourth. Give a kid a dime now, and he'd be mad," he adds with a chuckle.

### "Catchin's" Poor

He always liked to hunt and fish, and remembers when prairie chickens were plentiful in this section. Asked if he thinks there are still good places for fishing hereabouts he answers with another chuckle: "Yes, there are lots of good places to fish—but the catchin's so poor!"

He opened a grocery store in 1881. Later, he operated a meat market, and still later, a general store, (all on the same street), disposing of his business in 1937.

One of his happiest memories centers about the days he was catcher for the Franklin Grove ball team, and an offer to try out for the National League. Harry Roe, and Art Wells of Paw Paw were among his teammates; and everyone played bare-handed.

Although he thinks this is a wonderful age we're living in, "the things that used to entertain people are no good now," he observes. He remembers when as many as 10,000 people flocked to Franklin Grove to attend camp meetings, with as many as 25 or 30 ministers on the staff. "But with the advent of the automobile, hard roads, and the radio, everything has changed. Everyone wants to be on the go," he muses.

He thinks young people of to-

day are "awful nice," and has no advice to offer them. "What good would it do?" he asks, smiling. "They'll go right on and do what they want to anyway."

He used to drive an automobile, but explains that "an old fellow like me doesn't think fast enough to get his foot on the pedal in an emergency," and considers it safer to let someone else do the driving. He says he "wouldn't give a cent to go to the airport at Dixon for a little whirl around the field," but thinks he would enjoy a longer ride, to Denver or Chicago.

Told that he doesn't look his 82 years, Gramp is quick to tell you: "I don't feel it, either." He has no particular formula for long life. However, he says he "eats anything set before me three times a day, sleeps like a baby, and have never had a headache in my life."

Aside from auctioneering, he finds much to keep him active. He helps out at the store owned by his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles Kelley, where he missed being on duty only part of one afternoon during the past winter; devotes considerable time to walking; raises a big vegetable garden every year, and enjoys his share of odd jobs about the house.

### Plans to Vote

Of politics, he says he is neither Democrat or Republican. Asked if he intended casting his ballot in the election today, he replies: "Yes, surely—but I'm not saying how."

Although he insists that "when anyone gets as old as I am, they're just marking time," a conversation with Gramp gives one the impression that not only has this remarkable man kept a pioneer's hold on every day, but will continue to face the years with a calm courage and his own particular philosophy that "a busy life is a happy one."

## FRANK PRIEBE'S WEEKLY LETTER to POULTRY RAISERS

People warned me three or four years ago, when I first began talking about New Hampshire chickens, that popularity might ruin them as it had other breeds.

And I understand that has happened in some communities.

But where hatcherymen have kept them up to standard, they are still unusually fine chickens and the people who raise them wouldn't consider any other breed.

I wrote you once about Mrs. Blome who for the last four years has started 200 chicks each week from the middle of November to the middle of February. This year she raised New Hampshire—and after she had sold the third lot she sent me the following figures:

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From 200 hatched Nov. 23, 198 were sold Feb. 5, weight: 647 pounds.

From 200 hatched Nov. 30, 196 were sold Feb. 12, weight: 625 pounds.

In a little over ten weeks she had chickens that, according to the poultry buyer's weight receipts, averaged well over 3 pounds. And in that time she had lost only nine out of the 600 birds. There's no question that Mrs. Blome knows how to raise chickens. But she

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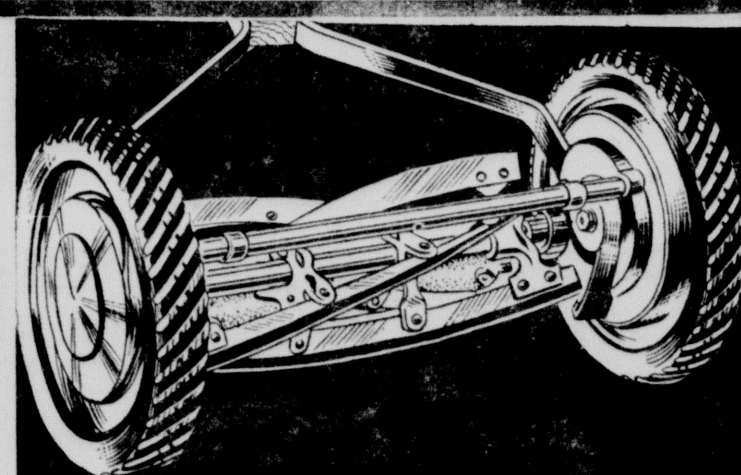
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# Society News

## Ashton Couple Will Celebrate Fiftieth Year

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Semmler of Ashton will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary tomorrow at their home. An open house reception from 2 to 5 p. m. will be followed by a 6 o'clock dinner for invited guests.

Mrs. Semmler was born in Palmyra township on Jan. 13, 1864, the daughter of Marcus and Christine (Ferna) Gonnerman. Her husband, who was a son of Justus and Annie Martha (Kolmann) Semmler, was born at Heinsbach Hessen, Germany, June 6, 1866. He came to this country at the age of 19 and settled in the vicinity of Ashton.

The couple was married at the home of the bride's parents, April 19, 1890 by the Rev. Henry Stauffenberg, pastor of the Lutheran church. Until March, 1891, they kept house for Mrs. Semmler's grandfather, and then moved to the Bowen farm north of Ashton, where Clifford Lawson now resides.

After four years, the Semmlers moved to the senior John Kersten farm in Reynolds township, which is the present home of the Henry Smiths. In another four years, they purchased the Casper Krug farm, which was their home until they moved to their present home in Ashton in 1918.

The Semmlers have one son, Oswin, and three daughters, Mrs. John Cordes, Mrs. Clarence Schaefer, and Mrs. Emeric Weishaar. The couple are active members of St. John's Lutheran church.

## WOMAN'S CLUB BOARD MEETS

Board members of the Dixon Woman's club were guests of their corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. V. Mellott, at their monthly meeting last evening. Mrs. J. R. McDaniel conducted the business session, during which plans for the remainder of the club year were discussed.

Refreshments in the spring motif were served by Mrs. Mellott, assisted by her co-hostess, Mrs. R. H. Hartridge, the recording secretary. Eighteen members were present.

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## Directs Choir



PROFESSOR HANKE

Fifty-eight men and women students composing the a cappella choir of Carthage college, Carthage, Ill., will appear in concert at St. Paul's Lutheran church at 8 p. m. Monday. Professor Elmer Hanke, who has accompanied the choir on annual tours since its organization in 1927, will direct the unit.

Of particular interest to Dixon music lovers is announcement that a former Dixonite, Stanley Wilson, of Brookfield, Ill., is one of the singers. Stanley, who is studying journalism and radio work at Carthage college, will visit at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ruggles, while the choir is in Dixon. Albert Ruggles is also an uncle of the choir member.

This year's appearance in Orchestra hall, Chicago, will be the choir's twenty-fourth concert in that city alone. Milwaukee has appeared regularly on the unit's itinerary, as have Rockford, Racine, Des Moines, Cedar Rapids, Quincy, St. Louis, Minneapolis, and other cities in the midwest.

## PLAYS ORGAN AT COUSIN'S WEDDING

Crawford Thomas of Dixon, the bridegroom's cousin, was at the organ for the nuptial prelude at the wedding of Miss Marie Burkett and Willard G. Thomas, solemnized Sunday afternoon in the Presbyterian church at Sterling. A reception for 100 guests was held in the church parlors.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Thomas of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. George Ross of Harmon, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Myers of Franklin Grove.

**NACHUSA CIRCLE**  
Members of the Nachusa Teacher's Reading circle will entertain the South Dixon circle at 7:45 p. m. Thursday at the Nachusa school.

**HOUSEHOLD CLUB**  
Mrs. Ed Murray will be hostess to the Household club at 2 p. m. Thursday.

## JUNIOR CLASS OF FRANKLIN GROVE WILL GIVE COMEDY

The junior class of Franklin Grove high school are completing preparations for staging the play, "Mama's Baby Boy," by Charles George, Friday evening in Kersten gymnasium. Mrs. Paul Black will direct the production, which is scheduled for 8 o'clock.

The play is a hilarious comedy in three acts. The setting for the entire performance is in the home of a young widow, Mrs. Shepard McLean, in Ft. Wayne, Ind., and the time covers the period of one day.

The cast of characters includes: Mrs. Shepard McLean, Gertrude Unger; Shepard McLean, her young son, Melvin Brucker; Luther Long, a widower, Wallace Heckman; Juliet Long, his daughter, Maxine Kelley; Mrs. Matilda Blackburn, Adeline Smith; Wilbur Warren, Shepard's young pal, Lawrence Hartzell; Mrs. Carlotta Anglin, a friend, Betty Shaulis; Cynthia Anglin, her daughter, Joan Wesson; Max Moore, a real estate agent, Robert Myers; Minnie, a young colored maid, Frances Kelley.

## WINS CONTEST

Miss Georgia Peterman, daughter of Mrs. Ada Peterman of Franklin Grove, placed first in the third round of extemporaneous speaking at the National Pi Kappa Delta speech tournament held recently in Knoxville, Tenn. She is a student at Eureka college in Eureka, Ill.

## Calendar

**Tonight**  
Highland Avenue club—At Mrs. Norman W. Dietrich's home.

Loveland P-T-A.—Travel talk by Mrs. Edna Pine, 7:30 p. m.; special music, Orville Westgor.

Wesleyan society, Methodist church—Will visit Peek home, 7:30 p. m.

**Wednesday**  
North Central P-T-A.—Election of officers; physical education demonstration.

South Dixon Community club—All-day meeting at the home of Mrs. John Patterson.

American Legion Auxiliary—All-day meeting; scramble luncheon.

Friendly Eight—Mrs. William Eller, hostess.

Palmyra Aid society—Mrs. Adam Foreman, hostess.

**Thursday**  
W. M. S., St. Paul's church—Mrs. Otto Beier, hostess.

Palmyra Home Bureau unit—Mrs. Keith Swarts, hostess, 1:30 p. m.

Nachusa Missionary society—Mrs. Charles Shippert, hostess, 2 p. m.

Loyal Workers, Bethel church—Mrs. Orville Albright, hostess.

## Miss Nichols Is Complimented at Shower Parties

When Miss Betty Nichols becomes the bride of Richard McNicol of Battle Creek, Mich., on May 18, she will have many happy remembrances of pre-nuptial affairs given in her honor. Miss Anna Jean Crabtree has issued invitations to friends of the bride-to-be for a breakfast party on Sunday morning.

Last Sunday morning, Miss Mae Eichler was hostessing at breakfast in compliment to Mr. McNicol's fiancée. A breakfast service was the honoree's gift from the guests, who were Mrs. Paul Potts, and the Misses Barbara Campbell, Anna Jean Crabtree, Cathryn Buchner, Louise Hintz, Emily Swan, Jean Bovey, Leone Kreim, and Bettie Haines.

On Saturday, Mrs. Raymond Toot and Miss Campbell were presiding at a tea room luncheon table, complimenting Miss Nichols. Gift packages presented to the guest of honor contained kitchen gadgets.

Circling the table were Mrs. Potts, the Misses Anna Jean Crabtree, Louise Hintz, Emily Swan, Leone Kreim, Bettie Haines, the hostesses, and the honoree. An informal afternoon of visiting followed the luncheon at Barbara's home.

Last week, Mrs. Potts and Miss Hintz arranged a theater party for the bride-to-be. Afterward, the guests were invited to the Potts apartment, where a list of magazine subscriptions awaited the honoree.

**FIRST YEAR**  
David E. Buckingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Buckingham, celebrated his first birthday anniversary Saturday afternoon. Guests included Joyce Louise and Rose Mary Jean Walker, John and Reba Ann Doran, Alan Hall, Charles Haynes, and their mothers.

**SCRAMBLE SUPPER**  
Mrs. Dement Schuler was entertaining at an informal scramble supper last evening.

## CHAPTER AC HAS INITIATION

Initiation ceremonies were conducted for a new member, Mrs. Mark Keller, Jr., and a series of reports were heard at yesterday's meeting for Chapter AC, P. E. O. Sisterhood. Mrs. F. L. Hamilton was the afternoon's hostess.

Mrs. John Charters of Ashton reviewed the history of Cotley college at Nevada, Mo., an institution supported by the Sisterhood; Mrs. L. R. Trowbridge gave a report on the educational fund, and Mrs. W. H. Coppins gave the history of Chapter AC.

Mrs. Gordon Overstreet assisted at the yellow and green tea table. Mrs. Wilbur Hutchinson was Mrs. Hamilton's co-hostess.

## SOUTH DIXON UNIT

A miscellaneous program entertained members of the South Dixon Farm Bureau Friday evening at the White Temple.

The entertainment included community singing, with Mrs. Albert Koehnke; vocal selections by Mrs. Ray Herbert and Jean Henrichs; a two-act play under the direction of Edward Cornis, recreation director; special music by students of the school; moving pictures, shown by Charles Yale and Lester Ullensvang of the county office. The cast of characters for the play included Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Hardy, Martin Dieterle and son Charles, and the Misses Helen Hoelscher and Hazel Wasmund.

A moving picture machine and a library of films were purchased recently by the county office, and are available for entertainments.

Plans for purchasing community song books were discussed during the business session. Refreshments were served by the committee.

## RELIEF CORPS HEARS REPORTS

Mrs. Katherine White, relief chairman, gave an account of her group's accomplishments during the past two weeks, a public card party was arranged, and an all-day sewing meeting was planned at yesterday's meeting of the Dixon Woman's Relief corps. Mrs. White reported that her committee had completed six lap robes and six pounds of carpet rags.

Tying of the lap robes and sewing additional carpet rags will provide needlework at the all-day meeting, which has been announced for Tuesday, April 16. The card party will be held at 8 p. m. Monday in G. A. R. hall.

A short program in observance of G. A. R. Day followed the business session yesterday.

## RURAL TEACHERS PLAN MEETING

Teachers of rural schools will meet at the Lee county court house at 8 o'clock this evening to make plans for graduation exercises to be held later in the spring. All teachers of rural eighth grade students are asked to be present.

## SYMPHONY UNIT TO PLAY AT STERLING

By popular request, the Illinois symphony orchestra will return to Sterling on Tuesday, May 7, under auspices of the Sterling Lions club. A 3 o'clock matinee performance for students will be followed by an evening concert at 8:15.

## ROYAL CARDINALS

Nearly 30 Royal Cardinals met at the home of the Misses Lois and Rita Bennett last evening for a scramble supper, initiation, and business meeting. Further plans were discussed for the anniversary party to be held in June.

## POSTPONE MEETING

The meeting which members of the Thursday Reading circle were to have held this week at Mrs. George Smith's home, has been postponed indefinitely.

## CHILDS - GARREN RITES ARE READ

Miss Virginia Garren of this city and William Childs of Amboy were married at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the Methodist church in Clinton, Iowa. Miss Rhoda Naffziger and Martin Ryan attended the couple, who are residing on the bridegroom's farm in East Grove township.

Mr. Childs, who now teaches, was graduated from Amboy high school with the class of '37, and from Northern Illinois State Teachers college in 1939. The bride was formerly employed by the Brown Shoe company.

## PALMYRA UNIT

Palmyra Home Bureau unit will meet at 1:30 p. m. Thursday with Mrs. Keith Swarts.

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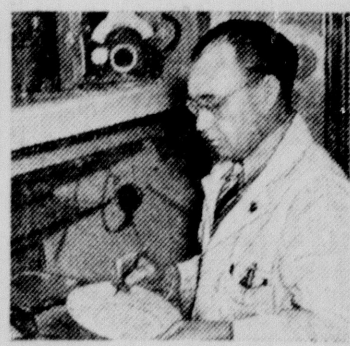
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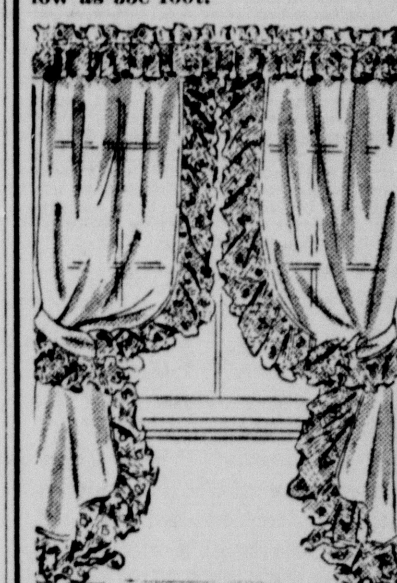
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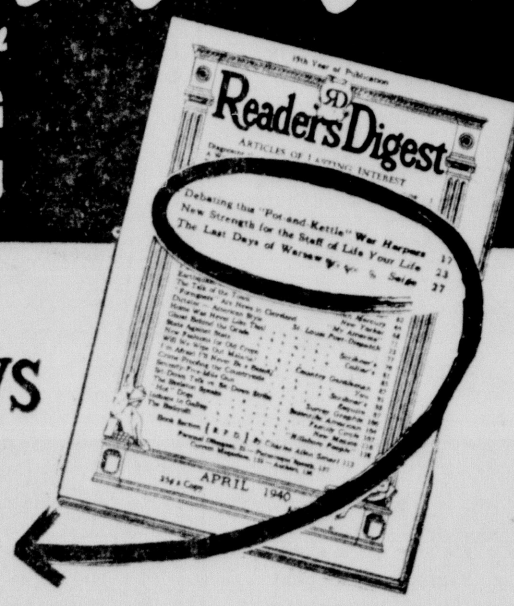
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Everybody is familiar with the jingle about the smiling young lady who went for a gallop on the back of a tiger. There is a lapse in the verse. The inference is that the two went away in complete harmony, but in the course of their jaunt they disagreed. When they returned the young lady, all except her smile, was inside the tiger. What gives the verse oomph is the last line, which says that the smile was being worn by the jungle beast. Probably it was a leer.

The people of the United States are in somewhat the same situation the young lady experienced about the time the tiger's appetite overcame his chivalry. The tiger, in our case, is the national debt and taxes. Up to a certain point we have a national debt. Beyond that point the national debt has us. At the beginning we had taxes. Now taxes have us.

The antics of certain national legislators are educational. They are determined not to increase taxes, and they are determined not to reduce expenditures in any substantial degree.

There is a limit to taxation just as there is to the national debt which the people will bear without kicking over the traces. In Chicago we have seen a building being pulled down by an owner who said it was cheaper, in view of real estate taxes, to have a parking lot. There are endless suits arising from the resistance of taxpayers. It is a case of diminishing returns. We can have the same resistance on a national basis, and will have it, if taxes are increased beyond a certain point.

People can, and will, resist taxes in fact they do so now. But they can not diminish the appetite of those who profit by high taxation. The taste for tax monies has been cultivated so efficiently that if government cuts off the supply these beneficiaries will use their powerful influence to defeat congressmen. In short, by catering to the spenders' appetite, Uncle Samuel has got himself in a situation

where he is damned if he does, and likewise if he doesn't.

That is why continued and useless spending can get the people off the back of the tiger and into the tiger's digestive apparatus. The process is simple and has been observed. By catering to special groups the government of Italy arrived at a point where it couldn't function. The ambitious Benito Mussolini, noting the paralysis, marched his organized blackshirts into Rome and took charge. It was a severe blow to democracy. Italian democracy didn't survive it.

The situation was similar in Germany where the government, due to economic difficulties and political dissension, simply handed itself to Herr Hitler, who had been organized for some time to do just what he is now doing. German democracy, such as it was, didn't survive. Drawn into the orbits of these powerful dictatorships were smaller governments, such as those of Rumania, Poland, Hungary and others, which succumbed to dictators.

The violence of dictatorial temperaments kept Europe on tenterhooks for years, until war came. And now France is ruled largely by decree and even England has been obliged to cancel many liberties of the people. It will be many a year before the debts are paid off and real liberty is restored abroad.

Why we follow that path is a mystery that can be attributed only to public unconcern.

## Why Not Confer Now?

When this new and great war is over, statesmen and generals will sit around a council table and decide upon terms of peace. Obviously, if a conference must be held to decide upon the results of the war, then it would seem logical to hold the conference now and skip the rest of the fighting.

But that isn't the way things are done. The country that comes out of the fight with the greatest strength will have the loudest voice at the peace conference. That country, seconded by its allies, will write the terms of peace and present the dotted line for signatures of the defeated peoples.

It is a horrible thought that in some cases nations with interests bound up in the conflict will have a voice at the conference, even though those nations may not have fired a shot. We suggest the possibility that Russia, with enormous resources and 12 million men trained for armed service, will sit in at the peace conference following the present conflagration.

International law as we know it was fathered by Hugo Grotius, a Hollander. De Groot, as he was called, observed that victorious commanders had the habit of slaughtering the inhabitants of captured areas. He thought this was an outrage, inasmuch as the women, children and aged persons had nothing to do with the fighting. So he wrote a book called The Law of War and Peace, and out of those ideals grew what is known as international law.

Some day we shall extend international law so as to cover not only the rights of nations in time of peace and their conduct while at war, but also to establish ideals in the making of peace. It ought to be a tenet of these ideals that no peace treaty shall be written merely to hand down the struggle to children of the next generation.

Georges Clemenceau, French statesman who participated in the Treaty of Versailles, signed the league of nations covenant and as he left the building he halted, struck a listening attitude and said:

"I hear a child crying."  
Great philosophers, these Frenchmen!

## News BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Washington, April 8—A horse so dark that he is even now still locked in the stable after the White House race is well under way, is Governor John W. Bricker of Ohio. He will remain there through the pre-convention campaign. The key to the lock is held by Ohio's other candidate, Senator Taft, in the form of a written memo supposed authoritatively to specify that Bricker will make no move of any kind toward the Republican nomination as long as Taft is in the race.

Bricker has interpreted this so religiously he does not answer mail inquiries for his biography. But in return for stepping aside the memo calls for Taft to throw the entire weight of his support to Bricker when Taft considers himself stopped. This situation is causing some of the topmost Republicans to hold the belief that if Taft does not get the nomination, Bricker will.

The Ohio governor has the entire personal confidence of most of the party chieftains. His record shows him to be a liberal Republican, conservative only under left wing new deal standards. He believes in firm regulation of utilities, but would abolish government ownership and government competition like TVA. He is a budget balancer, and has proved it by making both Ohio ends meet. To do this he boldly threw 4000 politicians off the state payroll at the outset of his administration, and while Ohio rumors suggest some few of the jobs may have been reestablished, the books still balance.

What substitute program he would initiate as president is only broadly indicated by his political speeches prior to the Taft agreement. He has made none since. These earlier addresses put him in line against spending, the concentration of power in violation of states' rights, meddling in Europe, from production controls, and reciprocal trade agreements. His relief difficulties with the Roosevelt administration appear to have been somewhat political and suggested only that he believes in increased municipal responsibility in the relief problem. Reestablishment of confidence in government, he appears to consider a prime necessity.

Bricker is a young, solid business type (only 46 years old), genial, determined (his opponents call it headstrong at times), qualifies by speaking and vote-getting ability to an unusual degree. He would undoubtedly be among the leaders if he had not been caught in the Taft shadow.

Paul McNutt is not a new dealer. The erroneous impression that he is arose from his belated entry into Roosevelt's official family as Federal Security Administrator, a quasi cabinet post. But the doctrines set down by the Hoosier political leader in his various speeches establish him as distinctly apart from the Roosevelt-Ickes-Corcoran school.

The leftist new deal dislike of his candidacy is based primarily on his labor record as governor which seemed to contain no clear acts directly objectionable to labor, but some acts like calling out the troops, have caused left labor to doubt him. He is eye to eye with Roosevelt on spending, expansion of foreign trade, increased taxes on incomes between \$10,000 and \$100,000, work relief, anti-monopoly, and apparently the farm program. He would go beyond Roosevelt in pension payments. He has advocated extension of unemployment compensation and old age benefits in speeches which may have appeal for the pension political class.

But the important faults he has found in the new deal and the corrections he would offer include: Reorganization of hastily formed bureaus to improve personnel, reestablishment of business confidence by a clarified and less belligerent economic policy, and amendment of the national labor relations act.

This is a shrewd and forceful platform from a political standpoint as it is framed to appeal both to the business mind, the new deal centrist, and the formerly big voting pension group, leaving only the leftist business pursuers out in the cold, and labor somewhat in doubt.

McNutt's only chance, however, seems to rest with the possibility that Roosevelt might point the official finger at him, a possibility which most non-partisan Washington observers are inclined to doubt.

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## News in Brief

—Ozone quickly relieves sinus infection pain. Phone 311, Ozone Clinic, 96 Galena Ave.

Dwayne Montgomery submitted to a second operation today at the Alexian Brothers hospital in Chicago.

Mrs. Charles Horton and son Raymond of Polo were Dixon shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. Ed Franks spent the week end in Sterling with her sister, Mrs. Will Whitebread.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kratzer of Beardstown and Mrs. Harold Settles and daughter Jo Ann of Rushville returned to their homes Monday after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ball.

Attend Legion Election Stage, Legion quarters, Hotel Dixon, TONIGHT.

Adv. 85t1

Miss Alice Sheller was able to return to her work at the Telegraph office today, following a brief illness.

George Robinson of Ashton was in Dixon today.

Raymond Cook of Franklin Grove was transacting business in Dixon this morning.

Daniel Degner of Lindenwood was in Dixon this morning.

Hear the election returns by direct wire at the Rainbow Inn.

Adv. 85t1

Clarence Hoff of Amboy transacted business in Dixon today.

Richard Stevens of Ashton was in Dixon today.

County Judge and Mrs. Grover Gehant, Circuit Clerk and Mrs. E. S. Rosecrans and County Superintendent of Schools and Mrs. John Torrens attended the funeral of Mrs. Ralph Dean in Ashton yesterday afternoon.

Paul Sodergren transacted business in Ashton yesterday afternoon.

Hear the election returns as the count come in at the Rainbow Inn. (Direct wire.)

Adv. 85t1

Attorney Edward Sullivan of Amboy was in Dixon yesterday afternoon on business.

Percy W. Bushy has gone to Fargo, N. D., on business for a few days.

Walter Knack transacted business in Freeport yesterday.

Dr. Julius Kniel has returned to Chicago after spending the week end at his cottage near White Rock.

man to the White House. He is the only business man in the race in either party.

In flying 'round the country in his private plane he has picked up considerable personal approval especially in western states. He has distinguished himself fighting against Supreme Court enlargement, the reorganization bills, the attempted purge of 1938, and the 1939 lending-spending program.

His interest in the farm problem would assure primary consideration to that issue, the solution of which he believes is necessary for national prosperity.

The new deal would be swept 90 per cent clean if dynamic Senator Styles Bridges get into the White House. He would balance the budget by spending less money. He would abolish the AAA, develop marketing facilities and new uses for agricultural products, repeal reciprocal trade program, return WPA to the states, probably continue social security, and amend the National Labor Relations Act.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Gates and her co-hostess, Mrs. Fellows, during the social hour.

Sigma Sigma Chi—H. C. Bartholomew was guest speaker for the weekly meeting of Alpha Epsilon chapter of Sigma Sigma Chi of the Presbyterian church Sunday evening. His subject was "What the Stars Tell Us About God."

Gene Goddard was at the head of the supper committee. The

## Obituaries

## Suburban—

MINNIE O. WOLCOTT (Contributed.)

Minnie Ortgieser Wolcott, born Sept. 29, 1868 passed to the great beyond on Easter morning, March 24, 1940, at the home of her son, Benjamin R. Wolcott at Peoria, Ill. She was brought to Amboy for burial. Funeral services were held at the Vaughn funeral home Wednesday afternoon, March 27, Rev. J. T. Anderson of the Methodist church gave a very comforting service. Two beautiful hymns were sung. Floral offerings were many and sympathy cards were sent by all who knew her. She was loved and cherished by her family, but loving hands could not save her from leaving us. She was the eldest of 13 children, always kind, considerate of others and ready to offer a helping hand to those who needed help. She was laid to rest beside her husband John T. Wolcott in Prairie Repose cemetery at Amboy by six of her nephews: David Heid, Daniel, Elwood, Clinton, Donald and Wilson Ortgieser.

With sadness, we recall Your kindly word for all— And died beloved by all— You are not forgotten dear sister Or will you ever be— As long as life and memory last We will remember thee. We miss you now, our hearts are sore, As time goes by, we will miss you more, Your loving smile, your gentle face, No one can fill your vacant place.

Years Ago (From Dixon Telegraph) 38 YEARS AGO B. M. Rolph is about to receive a patent on a ditching machine which he perfected several years ago.

Fred N. Fargo has staked out in the southeastern part of the city the new Park Manor addition consisting of 45 choice building lots.

Orders received at the Watson-Plummer shoe factory indicate a daily output of 5,400 pairs.

25 YEARS AGO The serving of warm lunches in school rooms in Lee county will be discussed at the Teachers' Institute to be held in Dixon in August.

The organization of a stock company to finance the local baseball association is being discussed. Max Lett appeared on the streets today wearing the first straw hat of the season.

10 YEARS AGO Fred A. Richardson was elected sheriff and Sterling Schrock, county treasurer at yesterday's election.

Daniel Chapman Leake of this city passed away this morning at his home, 105 Dement avenue

Mrs. S. A. Bennett conducted the business meeting and led the devotional service, and Mrs. H. W. Taylor prepared the program on the subject, "Christ and Human Needs." Mrs. C. B. Rhodes read an article on "World-Wide Fellowship." The Rev. R. W. Ford gave a talk on "Of One Blood," stressing the point that all men are brothers. Mrs. Ward Hall's article was Mr. Murao's version of his own remaking. "He was a Japanese," Mrs. Palmer read about "Beginning With You and Me" and Mrs. Taylor discussed "Furtherance of World Fellowship."

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## HOLD EVERYTHING!



"One solid hour with your face to the wall for fighting!"

## Church Societies

Truth Seekers—Mrs. J. O. Nelson, 319 Douglas avenue, will be hostess to Truth Seekers of Bethel church Friday evening.

Loyal Workers—Loyal Workers of Bethel church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Orville Albright, 1021 Third street.

Missionary Society—Mrs. Charles Shippert will be hostess to the Nachusa Missionary society at 2 P. M. Thursday.

## BLAME YOUR LIVER IF—

If your liver doesn't secrete 20 to 30 ounces of bile every day into your intestines—constipation with its headaches, mental dullness and that "half-alive" feeling often result. So you see how important it is to keep bile flowing freely! And what finer aid could one desire than Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, used so successfully for years by Dr. F. M. Edwards for treating his patients for constipation and sluggish liver bile.

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## SERIAL STORY

## K. O. CAVALIER

BY JERRY BRONDFIELD

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YESTERDAY, Eddie to be in good shape, given the sea air. He admits to Val that she wouldn't be so bad if she could just forget she is a newspaperwoman. When Val takes over preparing Eddie's diet, Cavalier kids her, and she herself feeling pained. Only after he has peeled 36 pounds does Val let him know that an electric peeler would have done the job in 15 minutes.

## CHAPTER XI

"I got a thousand bucks for each one I ate I wouldn't touch a one." Eddie Cavalier pushed the potatoes away from him distastefully.

Val grinned. "I'll have a double helping tonight," she said and Steve Hansen roared.

"I took a beating in my second amateur fight that I'll never forget," Eddie said to Mike Kelly. "But that was mild compared to what I'm taking aboard this mud scow."

But he grinned as he said it. Val Douglas liked that grin. It was sincere and boyish and she wondered why she'd never noticed it before.

The sky was overcast and there was a slight mist in the air when they had finished eating and went up on deck.

"Pretty raw night," Captain Hansen observed. "I don't like the looks of this," he said thoughtfully.

"And I've read every piece of printed matter aboard ship," Eddie gumbled. "Including the seaman's manual and the calendar, from January to December."

Val laughed. And then before she hardly knew what she was saying: "I've got some checkers down in my cabin."

"Well," he said delightedly. "What are we waiting for?"

They left Steve Hansen standing there. "Well, I'll be —" Steve said softly, and reached for his pipe. "I wonder . . ."

VAL curled her legs under her on the small divan and shook the little wooden discs from a box. "I'll take the black," she said. "Perfect match for your heart," he observed. "And that's a concession. I didn't think you had any at all."

She beat him the first game and then he beat her three straight. "You can't even make it interesting," he lamented. "Even when I pull my punches."

"Oh, you weren't trying?" "Practically playing blind-folded." She pushed the checkerboard aside.

"What are your plans for the future, Eddie?" The suddenness and earnestness of her question surprised him for a long moment. He blinked a couple of times and fumbled for an answer.

"I get it," he said slowly, meaningly. "Your story again, eh?"

She felt a light flush creeping up her face. "Forget it. 'Nother game?"

"I'm sorry," he said, strangely contrite. "I'm sorry I said that. But . . . why did you want to know?"

She looked at him levelly. "I am really interested. I've wondered why you took up fighting since the first time I saw you in the ring and spoke to you."

"It's paid me well. It's the thing I can do best. And it's honest work."

"I intend to keep it that way," he said quietly.

"Do you like fighting?" "Why not? Oh, I'll admit it's no fun getting belted around and stopping a lot of leather with your face. But I don't stop so much," he added significantly.

She smiled slightly. "Yes, I know. You're a pretty slick article. Haven't got a mark on you. Not a smudge of a tin ear."

He held up his hands. "See these? A long time ago I hoped they'd hold a surgeon's scalpel some day. But things don't always work out. He leaned back against the cabin wall.

"Dr. Edward Cavalier," he mused. "That sounds pretty good, doesn't it? Or shall I say—would have sounded good? Funny, isn't it, how people can be denied the things that mean the most to them?"

THERE was a funny feeling inside her as she waited for him to continue. She didn't dare utter a sound for fear it would break the spell. This was the Eddie Cavalier she had never known . . . the Eddie Cavalier the boxing world had never known, for that matter.

"Two years of college was all I was able to get in. My father was killed in an auto accident and I had to drop out of school to keep things going for Mom. I'd been conference welterweight champion in college and when Duffy Kelson came along with an offer to turn pro I jumped at it."

He looked at her keenly. "Simple, isn't it?"

She nodded. "Simple enough. But what about the future? I suppose you'll sink your savings into a restaurant, just like Dempsey, Walker, Canezoni and some of the others."

"Nope. Not me. When I retire Duffy and I are going into the sporting goods business. Do you know," he said earnestly, "that this country is recreation conscious? People are always out playing, whether it's tennis, golf, swimming, baseball or a hundred other games. I'd like that, and I think I could be happy in it."

He straightened up suddenly. "Say, I've just about told you everything but the story about Aunt Emma."

"Something to look forward to." She cocked her head slightly and regarded him pensively. "You don't like me very much, do you?"

She could almost feel his gray eyes boring into her.

"At times you're tolerable," he confessed. "At other times I could slap you down without a bit of remorse."

"Grandma, what big words you use," she said mockingly.

"That reminds me," he continued. "My biggest criticism is that you're too clever. When women are too brainy they can be awfully unmanageable."

"Oh, you like the slow-on-the-upbeat type, eh? Sweet and simple but not very likely to be your mental superior. Sorry I don't conform."

"You've got me wrong again," he told her. "I'm not looking for a type. In fact, I'm not even looking."

"I wouldn't put it off too long," she murmured. "Too many men stumble around and finally fall over the first girl in their path."

He grinned. "What're you doing? Switching from sports to advice to the love-love? If so, why waste it on me?"

THERE was a pronounced roll under the Northern Belle, and she pitched worse than at any time so far on the voyage. Outside the cabin door Val could hear the wind as it whistled across deck and whipped at the tarpaulin covers over the lifeboats.

She had to close the glass sort-hole when wisps of spray swept into the cabin and settled on her clothes and bed.

Val had difficulty falling asleep. But it wasn't the heavy weather which bothered her.

She lay in her bunk and thought of the boyish grin on Eddie Cavalier's face. . . . Recalled the look in his eyes when he held up his hands and talked of the surgeon's scalpel he would never hold.

Why was she thinking so much about it? She tried to shake it off but it wasn't easy. It was four bells before she finally dropped off.

(To Be Continued)

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## FANFARE



By DON DANIELSON.

## SHARKEY'S WHITE HOPE

There's a new white hope to make his debut in the boxing game Thursday night at Sterling, according to Jack Sharkey, Dixon instructor of the manly art. Jack says that Court Fielding, a wire mill worker at Sterling who has been taking lessons from Sharkey here and who finished his ninth last night, is to be watched as a promising heavyweight who may some day snag top honors. Fielding weighs in at 192-pounds, is six feet and 22 years of age. He will fight in the first bout on the Gyro Club card at the Sterling Coliseum Thursday night.

## MENDOTA LETTERMEN

Lettermen returning to action on the Mendota high school track squad this year are: Don Whitmore, state high school javelin champion; Bob Larkin, miler; H. Kreiser, 800; K. Kreiser, 440; and Frank Senn, discus. Others out this season who are good prospects include C. Bader, hurdles; B. Einert, high jump; C. Bauer, field events; Bud Edwards, pole vault; and W. Hanley, 880.

## BASEBALL PREDICTIONS

One of the picture mags (Look) has the baseball situation all summed up for your early October convenience. The tabulation on how they will finish lists the Cincinnati Reds at the top of the National League again with the others following in the order of St. Louis, Chicago, Brooklyn, Pittsburgh, New York, Boston and Philadelphia. For the American League: Boston (yeah, that's what they say and they're giving the credit to Ted Williams), New York (that's the world champions, you know), Cleveland, Detroit, Washington, Chicago (that's the team of Hofmann & Jones, Inc.), Philadelphia and St. Louis.

## WALNUT WINS MEET

In a dual meet at Walnut, the defeated Tiskilwa, 67 to 57, in a dual meet at Walnut over the week end. Lubbs of Walnut and Schrock of Tiskilwa were the leading scorers. The mile was run in 5:10 and the high hurdles were clocked in 1:6.5.

## BELVIDERE ATHLETE IS CONTEST WINNER

Robert Lincoln, Belvidere high school athlete who played center on the Boone county warriors' basketball team and who received honorable mention in a poll of the conference coaches, won first place in the bassoon division in the state solo and ensemble contests at DeKalb Saturday. Lincoln was also recommended to the national contest. Adding to his fame are the reports of a relationship to Honest Abe.

## SOUNDING OUT THE SENTIMENT

It was reported today that unofficial and off-the-record interviews with members of the board of education reveal the one reportable fact that of three who were questioned two were for the lighting of Dixon high school athletic field. There are seven members on the board.

## BASEBALL PLANS DISCUSSED

Harry Witte of Beloit, Wis., was in Dixon yesterday to talk over plans for the baseball game which may be a part of the city's fourth of July celebration. It is planned that the Dixon Knocks will meet one of the featured traveling clubs here. Witte was on his way to Texas where he will complete the schedule for the House of David team, one of the clubs listed with his agency. No definite plans were made here.

## TRAINING CAMP BRIEFS

## GIANTS' CHIEF WORRY

(By The Associated Press) Salisbury, N. C. — Chief worry of the New York Giants these days is Melvin Ott, who usually doesn't cause any headaches. This spring Ott has a .217 batting average, hit only three doubles and nothing longer. A light training routine, result of charity horses he suffered late last season, is given as the reason for the slump.

## GABBY IS PLEASED

Wichita, Kans. — The showing of the Chicago Cubs' outfield on the long exhibition tour east from California has been pleasing to Manager Gabby Hartnett. Hank Leiber is off to a great start, indicating he's ready to team with Augie Galan and Dominic Dalesandro in a strong offensive and defensive unit. Jim Gleason and Bill Nicholson are doomed to the bench if the rookie maintains his present form. The Cubs fellow travelers, the St. Louis Browns, called upon Elden Auker to pitch today in an effort to gain an even break in their series.

## JOOST MAY BE LOST

Bluefield, W. Va. — Eddie Joost may be lost to the Cincinnati Reds for the rest of their exhibition games as a result of being hit by a ball pitched by Jack Wilson of the Boston Red Sox Sunday. He still is in a Durham, N. C. hospital but club officials said x-ray examination showed he had not suffered a concussion.

## GOMEZ IS INJURED

Louisville, Ky. — The New York Yankees probably will consider themselves lucky if they can start the season at all after what the Brooklyn Dodgers did in the first clash of their series. Not only did Brooklyn win the game, 10-6, but the aid of a seven-run rally that started when Spud Chandler failed to field an easy grounder, but Lefty Gomez was sent back to the hotel with a sore knee before the game even started. He was struck by a liner off Bill Knickerbocker's bat in pre-game practice.

## MOVE TO INDIANA

Knoxville, Tenn. — After today's game with the Knoxville Smokies, Detroit's Tigers leave the still chilly south and move to Evansville, Ind., for their next start.

## FRISCH IS BACK

Kansas City — The Chicago White Sox look to Julius Solters to add power to their attack this season. Disatisfied with the Browns' last year, Solters says

he's ready to play ball now. "If I don't have a good year, it won't be anybody's fault but my own," he maintains. After four cancellations in five days the Sox hoped to get in a game today against the Pittsburgh Pirates, whose manager, Frank Frisch, is back on the job. The infection in Frisch's throat is healed but he still is barely able to speak.

## AILING TRIBESMEN

Salisbury, N. C. — Plagued by an ailing arm, Mel Harder will not pitch any more exhibition games for the Cleveland Indians or hurl at all until he is certain he can handle the job. Another ailing Tribesman, Al Milnar, says Manager Oscar Vitt is worrying more than necessary. "I'm 100 percent better than I was this time last year," he asserts.

## BIG DISAPPOINTMENT

Atlanta — The veteran St. John is proving a big disappointment to the Phillies this spring. Drafted from Rochester after winning 22 and losing 11, St. reported overweight and has been unimpressive.

## THREE MORE EXHIBITIONS

Fort Worth, Texas — The St. Louis Cardinals, with only three more exhibitions before they reach home, met Fort Worth's Texas leaguers today. The other stops for the Cards are Oklahoma City and Tulsa.

## BLOW 8-RUN LEAD

Winston-Salem, N. C. — Although the Boston Bees blew an eight-run lead in yesterday's slugfest with Washington, they found some consolation in the fact Al Lopez wasn't badly hurt. It was feared at first a blow on the middle finger of the catcher's throwing hand had broken the bone, but examination showed only a split finger nail.

## GOOD DEFENSIVE ROOKIE

Charlotte, N. C. — Jimmy Pofahl, says Manager Bucky Harris, is the "best defensive shortstop Washington has owned since Roger Peckinpaugh, and in time he may be better than Peck."

## A member of the French Legion

of Honor is immune from any degrading punishment so long as he is a member of it.

Geologists estimate one-third of Iowa is underlaid by coal deposits, most of it of such character that it is impractical to mine it.

Hotel de Ville, or the town hall of Louvain, Belgium, was completed and first used in 1450.

Of three recognized forms of lightning, only one known as ball lightning, is dangerous.

# Lady Keglers Near Season End

## Two Dixon Youths to Play in Minor League

### EARLY TRACK AND FIELD MEET WILL OPEN NEW SEASON

### Franklin Grove Will Be Host to Lee Center Next Monday

Springing up like early mushrooms, are the track meets scheduled within the next few days. This afternoon at Amboy the thin-clads of Coach Jim Dominetta will be tested in the interclass meet and on next Monday afternoon Coach John Mitchell's Franklin Grove cindermen will be hosts to Lee Center.

The dual meet, scheduled for Friday between Franklin Grove and Amboy has been cancelled, according to reports today from Superintendent Neil Fox of Franklin Grove high school. A practice meet is scheduled with Amboy for Wednesday, April 17.

The meet with Lee Center, to be held on the Franklin Grove field, will open a season in which the Grovers hope to defend successfully their championships of the Route 72 and Green River Valley conferences. The team has been riddled by the loss of several star performers of last year, but the prospects of Coach John Mitchell are not entirely discouraging. There is still a sizeable number of veterans remaining. These included:

Seniors—John Hatch, pole vault and weights; Robert Fish, hurdles and 440 yard run; Raymond Fyfe, distance runs and weights and Warren Zimmerman, distance runs and weights.

Juniors — Wallace Heckman, high jump and sprints; Melvin Brucker, distance runs; and Rodney Maronde, broad jump.

Sophomores — Ivan Hullah, sprints; and George Miller, sprints.

## Help Balance the Team

Some of these veterans have already broadened their specialties which will help to balance the team. Fyfe and Zimmerman both show promise as weight men and Hullah and Miller will probably develop into excellent hurdle men, according to reports from the Grovers' camp. Wallace Heckman shares the record in the high jump in the Route 72 conference with Bill Ives, a graduate of last year. John Hatch is the record holder in the same conference in the pole vault event.

Unusual interest is also reported in the Freshman and sophomore classes for track this year. Of these Bill Yocum and Richard Myers show promise as sprinters, while Don Bennett is reported as a sure bet for a weight man. The addition of Robert Myers in the weights is expected to add to the strength of this part of the team.

Although a large part of the material is inexperienced, the chances are believed to be excellent that the team will develop to defend its titles successfully.

## In Amboy Camp

In the camp of the Amboy cindermen Coach Jim Dominetta is working out these nights with a squad of forty men and prospects are reported to be gloomier than last season due to the loss of several outstanding boys.

## This afternoon the Amboy

Township athletes are participating in an inter-class meet which should test the strength of the team members in the first competitive events.

Lettermen returning to the Amboy squad this season include Bill Schneider, high jump; Mark Salzman, miler; Bob Welty, hurdles; Donald Reed, dashes and Ray Price, pole vault.

## RANGERS MEET MAPLE LEAFS

## IN WHAT MAY BE THE FINALE

Toronto, April 9—(AP)—A couple of annoyed and very much in earnest hockey teams, the New York Rangers and Toronto Maple Leafs, meet tonight in what may be the payoff game of the Stanley Cup finale.

The Rangers are leading, 2-1, in the best-of-seven series and if they add another victory tonight they shouldn't have much trouble winning. If the Leafs even the series, however, they'll have an even chance or a little more to win out.

## DRAKE RELAYS

Des Moines Iowa April 9—(AP)—Indiana university will bring an 18-man track squad to the Drake Relays, April 26 and 27, Director Franklin Johnson said today. Ohio State is the only Big ten school not entered in the 1940 carnival.

Illuminating oil was successfully produced from coal in France and England. It was called gerolene by Dr. Abraham Gesner of Prince Edward Island in 1846.

First public library, supported by general taxation, was founded in Salisbury, Conn., in 1803.

### It Is Not Easy to Select a Rookie of the Year in Majors This Season

By GAYLE TALBOT

New York, April 9—(AP)—It is not easy to point a finger at the "rookie of the year" this spring as last year, when Ted Williams of the Boston Red Sox towered like a lighthouse over the other baseball freshmen.

Williams more than fulfilled every expectation, and had only one serious rival among the league beginners—Charlie Keller of the Yankees. Williams' average of .327 was not quite equal to Keller's .334, but the limber Boston youngster proved himself a much greater distance hitter than the swarthy Yank.

Is there a slugger like Williams or Keller in the 1940 crop, or a pitcher like Alton Donald, who won 13 while losing only three for the Yankees last year? Possibly, but those who have watched the juvenile stars train from Florida to California have failed notably to agree on the one most likely to succeed.

Dominic DiMaggio, another Red Sox recruit, carries the biggest burden of advance ballyhoo, just as Freddy Hutchinson, Detroit's wonder boy pitcher, did a year ago. Hutchinson was a monumental disappointment, and it remains to be seen whether the youngest of the DiMaggios can come close to living up to his billing.

Dom had little opportunity to prove his ability before he injured an ankle in an exhibition game at Tampa, so the season may be well advanced before the

### DIZZY DEAN'S FIRST GAME PLEASES ALL

Wichita, Kans., April 9—(AP)—Dizzy Dean's 1940 pitching debut, as brilliant as it was, impressed no one as much as the big right-hander himself.

Making his first exhibition game start yesterday at Fort Smith, Ark., Dean gave the St. Louis Browns no runs and two hits in five innings. He struck out three batters and walked four. Dean's form was the big news of the game as his Chicago Cub teammates splurged to an easy 15 to 2 victory.

After his five-inning turn Dean bounced off the mound, gave his wife a hearty hug and told everybody how good he felt.

"I feel better and was faster than at any time since I joined the Cubs," he said, bubbling with jubilation.

The one-time great pitcher came to the Cubs two years ago this month from St. Louis for \$185,000 and three players. Since then he has won a total of 13 games for the Cubs, six last season.

Manager Gabby Hartnett was among those who were not completely carried away by Dean's performance.

"I guess it was all right," commented Gabby, and added he didn't know when Dean would pitch again.

## EXHIBITION BASEBALL

## YESTERDAY'S GAMES

(By The Associated Press)

At Owensboro, Ky.—Brooklyn (N) 10; New York (A) 6.

At Fort Smith, Ark.—Chicago (N) 15; St. Louis (A) 2.

At Greenville, S. C.—Washington (A) 14; Boston (N) 12.

At Shreveport, La.—St. Louis (N) 9; Shreveport (T) 5.

At Macon, Ga.—Philadelphia (N) 12; Macon (SA) 9.

At Knoxville, Tenn.—Detroit (A) 13; Knoxville (SA) 5.

At Roanoke, Va.—Cincinnati (N) vs Boston (A) rain.

At Anderson, S. C.—New York (N) vs Cleveland (A) rain.

At Hutchinson, Kan.—Chicago (A) vs Pittsburgh (N) wet grounds.

At Memphis, Tenn.—Philadelphia (A) vs Memphis (SA) cold weather.

Today's Schedule

At Bluefield, W. Va.—Cincinnati (N) vs Boston (A).

At Louisville, Ky.—Brooklyn (N) vs New York (A).

At Wichita, Kan.—Chicago (N) vs St. Louis (A).

At Salisbury, N. C.—New York (N) vs Cleveland (A).

At Kansas City—Chicago (A) vs Pittsburgh (N).

At Atlanta—Philadelphia (N) vs Philadelphia (A).

At Fort Worth, Tex.—St. Louis (N) vs Fort Worth (T).

At Knoxville, Tenn.—Detroit (A) vs Knoxville (SA).

At Winston-Salem, N. C.—Boston (N) vs Winston-Salem (PL).

At Charlotte, N. C.—Washington (A) vs Charlotte (PL).

The name malaria is misleading. It is Italian for "bad air."

KEEP IT CLEAN

Chapel Hill, N. C., April 9—(AP)—The bowling ball has gone hygienic. A University of North Carolina bacteriologist and a layman have collaborated to invent a gadget that gives the balls a germicidal bath after every throw.

Sox learn whether they received their money's worth.

## Surrender Headlines

In the meantime, DiMaggio has surrendered the rookie headlines to Johnny Rucker of the Giants. The kid from Atlanta has been pounding the ball at a 400 clip in the south and appears to have clinched a berth in the Giants outfield. Here again, however, is a player like DiMaggio who is not a distance hitter.

Oscar Vitt, the Cleveland manager, believes he has a truly great shortstop in Lou Boudreau, who finished with the Indians last year but still may be classified as a rookie. But, even if Lou's fielding is everything Oscar says it is, he still has to prove he can hit big league pitching.

Brooklyn almost certainly has the future shortstop star in "Pee Wee" Reese, from Louisville, who led the American association last year in base stealing and three-base hits and was the sensation of the little World Series. Purely on a hunch, he might be our "rookie of the year." At least, Reese is blessed with the same carefree confidence that attracted the critics to Williams a year ago.

Looking around for a pitcher who might burn them up in his first year, the choice falls upon Sid Hudson, the six-foot, fourth right-hander who jumped from the Class "D" Florida state league to the Washington Senators. Sid twirled 28 complete games last season and won 24 of them.

### FEDERAL PROBE OF MIX-UP IN BOXING ASKED

### Says "Money-Changers in White House" Are Bar to Any Economies

By JOHN F. CHANDLER

Baltimore, April 9—(AP)—A mix-up between two states and the N. B. A. over the world's featherweight title brought a call today for a Federal government investigation.

Between the National Boxing Association, the Maryland and Louisiana Athletic commissions and several contenders for the crown taken from Joey Archibald by the N. B. A., it appeared that nothing short of a supreme court opinion could untangle the wrangles.

Much of the difficulty arose last fall in Washington when Archibald was awarded a split decision over Harry Jeffra of Baltimore in their memorable title battle. Jeffra supporters claimed he was robbed.

Cramming everything into several nutshells, the situation stacked up today like this:

1. The Maryland Athletic commission, through Chairman Stanley Scherr, said it was resigning from the N. B. A. and would accord full title recognition to the winner of a May 20 Baltimore bout between Archibald and Jeffra. (The N. B. A. said Archibald had been ousted for refusing to fight Pete Scalzo.)

## Claims "Dictatorship"

2. Emile Bruneau, co-manager of Jimmy Perrin, New Orleans, claimed that the N. B. A. was trying to "dictate" an unprofitable title scrap at Washington between Scalzo and Perrin, recently rated No. 1 and 2, respectively, by the National Boxing association.

3. The Louisiana Athletic commission decreed that if Scalzo failed to accept by midnight tonight an offer to meet Perrin in New Orleans, it would arrange a "Championship" bout for Perrin and some other contender.

4. Finally, in Washington again, Rep. Kennedy (D-Md.) said he would ask Congress today to order a Federal investigation of boxing and would seek to place the sport under government supervision.

Just where all this leaves the interested parties is still somewhat obscure, but Maryland and the New York commission aver that the winner of the May 20 fight here will be head man in their book.

## FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Pittsburgh—Bill Boyd, 186½, New York stopped Harry Bobo, 207½, Pittsburgh, (7).

Chicago—Frankie Covelli, 130½, Brooklyn, outpointed Eddie Lander, 132½, Chicago, (10).

Scranton, Pa.—Gunboat Davis, 147½, Charleston, W. Va., outpointed Marty Simmons, 169, Saginaw, Mich., (12).

Philadelphia—Johnny Barbara, 151½, Chicago, outpointed Fritz Zivic, 146, Pittsburgh, (10).

Providence, R. I.—Leo Rodak, 133½, Chicago, outpointed Everett Rightmire, 129½, Sioux City, Iowa, (10).

### Hi-Way Keglers Cinch Title of Ladies' League

## STANDINGS

|                  | W  | L  |
|------------------|----|----|
| Hi-Way Grill     | 61 | 17 |
| Ray Carson       | 40 | 38 |
| Dr. Bends        | 37 | 41 |
| Ideal Cafe       | 37 | 41 |
| Dixon Recreation | 37 | 41 |
| Amboy Royal Blue | 36 | 42 |
| Soda Grill       | 33 | 45 |
| Bon Ton          | 31 | 47 |

## Team Records

|                  |      |
|------------------|------|
| Hi-Way Grill     | 923  |
| High team game   | 2547 |
| High team series |      |

## Individual Records

|                           |     |
|---------------------------|-----|
| High Ind. game—A. Smith   | 234 |
| High Ind. series—A. Smith | 587 |

## Hi-Way Grill

|               |     |     |     |     |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Klein         | 170 | 181 | 184 | 535 |
| Millard       | 141 | 114 | 130 | 385 |
| Poole (ave)   | 150 | 150 | 150 | 450 |
| Shawyer (ave) | 150 | 150 | 150 | 450 |
| Smith         | 141 | 158 | 184 | 483 |
|               | 7   | 7   | 7   | 21  |

## Total

|     |     |     |      |
|-----|-----|-----|------|
| 759 | 760 | 805 | 2324 |
|-----|-----|-----|------|

## Dr. Bends

|        |     |     |     |     |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Slaats | 166 | 182 | 155 | 503 |
| Noble  | 119 | 162 | 125 | 406 |
| Egan   | 137 | 122 | 129 | 388 |
| Kellen | 126 | 143 | 136 | 405 |
| Frey   | 109 | 184 | 167 | 460 |
|        | 69  | 69  | 69  | 207 |

## Total

|     |     |     |      |
|-----|-----|-----|------|
| 726 | 862 | 781 | 2369 |
|-----|-----|-----|------|

## Dixon Recreation

|           |     |     |     |     |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| M. Miller | 119 | 156 | 130 | 405 |
| Coleman   | 164 | 136 | 144 | 444 |
| A. Miller | 150 | 106 | 97  | 353 |
| Kiefer    | 98  | 110 | 114 | 322 |
| Dasbach   | 152 | 183 | 145 | 480 |
|           | 48  | 48  | 48  | 144 |

## Total

|     |     |     |      |
|-----|-----|-----|------|
| 731 | 739 | 678 | 2148 |
|-----|-----|-----|------|

## Soda Grill

|            |     |     |     |     |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Stevens    | 129 | 146 | 112 | 387 |
| S. Carson  | 125 | 126 | 123 | 374 |
| Hyer       | 116 | 129 | 116 | 351 |
| Hoberg     | 133 | 128 | 109 | 370 |
| Schumacher | 77  | 77  | 77  | 231 |

## Total

|     |     |     |      |
|-----|-----|-----|------|
| 717 | 706 | 633 | 2053 |
|-----|-----|-----|------|

## Ray Carson's Service

|           |     |     |     |     |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| F. Carson | 123 | 160 | 128 | 411 |
| Pinch     | 125 | 166 | 176 | 467 |
| Wallin    | 98  | 130 | 113 | 341 |
| Cook      | 180 | 137 | 133 | 450 |
| Meinke    | 158 | 127 | 170 | 455 |
|           | 26  | 26  | 26  | 78  |

## Total

|     |     |     |      |
|-----|-----|-----|------|
| 710 | 746 | 746 | 2202 |
|-----|-----|-----|------|



## TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

## Markets at a Glance

(By The Associated Press)

**New York**—Stocks irregular; war stocks up in fast dealing. Bonds lower; Scandinavian loans hard hit. Foreign exchange erratic; sterling rallies after early break. Cotton steady; trade, foreign and Wall Street buying. Sugar higher; profit-taking; trims early gains. Metal steady; copper prices strengthen. Wool tops firm; trade and speculative buying.

**Chicago**—Wheat closed 3 1/2¢ higher on war news. Corn finished 3/4¢ up with wheat. Cattle weak; 20¢25 cents lower. Hogs 5¢10 lower; top 5.20.

## Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

| Open      | High     | Low      | Close    |
|-----------|----------|----------|----------|
| WHEAT     |          |          |          |
| May       | 1.07     | 1.09     | 1.06 1/2 |
| July      | 1.06     | 1.08 1/4 | 1.05 1/2 |
| Sept.     | 1.06 1/2 | 1.08 1/4 | 1.05 1/2 |
| CORN      |          |          |          |
| May       | .57      | .58      | .57 1/2  |
| July      | .55      | .56      | .55 1/2  |
| Sept.     | .60 1/2  | .60 1/2  | .60 1/2  |
| OATS      |          |          |          |
| May       | .41 1/2  | .41 1/2  | .41 1/2  |
| July      | .37      | .37 1/2  | .36 3/4  |
| Sept.     | .33 1/2  | .34 1/2  | .33 1/2  |
| SOY BEANS |          |          |          |
| May       | 1.10 1/2 | 1.10 1/2 | 1.08 1/2 |
| July      | 1.07     | 1.07     | 1.05 1/2 |
| Sept.     | .94 1/2  | .94 1/2  | .94 1/2  |
| RYE       |          |          |          |
| May       | .68 1/2  | .68 1/2  | .68 1/2  |
| July      | .70 1/2  | .70 1/2  | .68 1/2  |
| Sept.     | .70 1/2  | .70 1/2  | .69 1/2  |
| LARD      |          |          |          |
| May       | 6.60     | 6.02     | 5.87     |
| BELLIES   |          |          |          |
| May       |          |          | 5.55     |

## Chicago Produce

Chicago, Apr. 9.—(AP)—Potatoes 131 on track 483, total U. S. shipments 670, best quality steady; fair quality slightly weaker, supplies heavy; demand slow; sacked per cwt Idaho russet burbank U. S. No. 1, very few sales 2.07 1/2¢ @ 25 U. S. No. 2, 1.75; Colorado red McChesney U. S. No. 1, few sales 1.95¢; 2.10; Nebraska bliss triumphs U. S. No. 1, few sales 1.65¢; 1.65 per cent U. S. No. 1, 1.50¢; 1.50¢; unclassified few sales 1.35¢; Early Ohio 80-85 per cent U. S. No. 1, 1.40¢; 1.40¢; Wisconsin round whites unclassified 1.20¢; 1.20¢; storage packed firsts 1.15¢; extras 1.15¢; other prices unchanged.

Butter futures, fresh stds April close 26.65; storage stds Nov close 26.80.

Egg futures, storage packed firsts April close 18.55; refrig stds Oct closed 19.45.

Potato futures, no sales today.

## Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Apr. 9.—(AP)—Salable hogs 17,000; total 26,000; general market more active, 5¢10 lower than Monday's average; decline largely on weights under 240 lbs; top 5.20; most good to choice 180-270 lbs 4.90¢-5.20¢; 270-330 lbs butchers 4.80¢-5.00¢; 400-550 lbs packing 4.80¢-5.00¢.

Salable cattle 8,500; calves 1,500; fed steers and yearlings 20¢25 lower; mostly steady to weak; medium to average good grades showing most weakness; meager supplies; generally good and choice and yearling here; supply cleaned up early at 10.50 up; top 11.65; most yearlings 11.00; largely 8.25¢-10.50 market, with common grade steers 7.25¢-7.75; clipper and order here; active on weight finished steers all weights; cows and bulls 10¢15 higher; scarce; weaners strong to 15 higher; weight cows in odd lots 10.00; light weaners 9.25 down; stock cattle steady.

Salable sheep 3,000; total 7,000, late Monday fed woolled western lambs closed 10¢15 lower; two double Colorado 10.50¢; bulk handweight 10.10¢-10.35¢; numerous loads 10.15¢-10.25¢; weighty kind down from 10.00¢; bulk offerings 8.55¢ averaging 85 lbs; small lot woolled western ewes 5.00¢; odd head natives 3.00¢-4.25¢; spring lambs negligible; today's grade; fat lambs active, mostly 15¢-25¢ higher; early sales handweight fed woolled western largely 10.35¢-10.50¢; two doubles 10.25¢; scattered lot lower grades 10.25¢ down; two doubles short western lambs 9.00¢-9.25¢.

Official estimated receipts for tomorrow: cattle 9,000; hogs 12,000; sheep 5,000.

**Representative Sales**

| No. | Heavy Hogs | Av. Price |
|-----|------------|-----------|
| 43  | 272        | 5.05      |
| 47  | 336        | 4.85      |
| 48  | 207        | 5.20      |
| 48  | 241        | 5.25      |
| 47  | 249        | 5.15      |
| 42  | 167        | 4.85      |
| 49  | 189        | 5.05      |
| 36  | 147        | 4.45      |
| 27  | 153        | 4.75      |
| 219 | 93         | 10.65     |
| 44  | 84         | 10.00     |
| 254 | 88         | 9.25      |
| 262 | 78         | 9.00      |
| 114 | 131        | 5.35      |
| 25  | 1165       | 11.65     |
| 20  | 1121       | 11.00     |
| 16  | 1474       | 10.75     |
| 10  | 660        | 10.25     |
| 40  | 660        | 9.50      |

## Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Apr. 9.—(AP)—Wheat No. 2 mixed 1.08 1/4¢; sample mixed 99 1/4¢; No. 3 mixed 1.08 1/4¢.

Corn No. 1 yellow 59 1/4¢ @ 60 1/4¢; No. 2 59 1/4¢ @ 61 1/4¢; No. 4, 59 1/4¢; No. 1 white 67 1/4¢.

Oats No. 3 mixed 41¢; No. 2 white 44 1/4¢; No. 3, 42 1/4¢ @ 43¢; No. 4, 42¢; sample grade white 38 1/4¢.

Barley, malting 52 1/4¢; feed 40 1/4¢.

@50 nom; No. 3 malting 63.  
Soy beans No. 3 yellow 1.08.

## Wall Street Close

(By The Associated Press)

Allegh Corp 7 1/2; Al Chem & Dye 180; Allied Sts 8 1/2; Allis Ch Mfg 37 1/4; Am Can 115 1/2; Am Car & Fdy 28; Am Loco 21 1/4; Am Met 23 1/4; Am Pow & Lt 3 1/4; Am Rad & St S 8 1/2; Am Roll Mill 16 1/2; Am Sm & R 53 1/4; Am Stl Fdrs 29 1/2; A T & T 174 1/2; Am Tob B 91; Am Wat Wks 10 1/2; Anac 31 1/2; Arm III 6 1/2; A T & S F 23 1/2; Atl Ref 22 1/2; Atlas Corp 9; Avia Corp 7 1/2; B & O 5 1/2; Baid Loco Ct 16 1/2; Barnsdall Oil 11 1/2; Bea Cr 31; Bendix Avia 34 1/2; Beth Stl 8 1/2; Boeing Alpi 26 1/2; Borden Co 23 1/2; Borg Warner 23 1/2; Cal & Hec 7 1/2; Can D G Ale 22; Can Pac 5 1/2; Case Co 69 1/2; Caterpillar Tractor 52 1/4; Celanese Corp 32; Cerro De Pas 39 1/2; Certainteed Prod 6 1/2; Ches & Ohio 35 1/2; C M Stl 12 1/2; Chrysler Corp 88 1/2; Coca Cola 127 1/2; Col Palm P 18 1/2; Colum G & El 7; Coml Cred 47; Coml Solv 15 1/2; Conwith & South 11 1/2; Cont Corp 17 1/2; Cont Corp 17 1/2; Cont Oil 22 1/2; Corn Prod 61 1/2; Curt Wr 10 1/2; Deere & Co 23 1/2; Del Lack & West 5 1/2; Douglas Rier 86 1/2; Du Pont De N 188 1/2; Eastman Kodak 155 1/2; Gen Elec 39 1/2; Gen Foods 48; Gen Mot 5 1/2; Genl Sgtr R 5 1/2; Goodrich 19 1/2; Goodyear T & R 23 1/2; Graham Paige 10 1/2; Gt Nor Ry 17 1/2; Hudson Mot 6 1/2; I C 11 1/2; Int Harv 57 1/2; Johns Man 72; Kenn Corp 37 1/2; Kresge 25 1/2; Kroger Corp 34 1/2; Lib O F 31 50 1/2; Ligge & My B 108 1/2; Mack Trucks 27 1/2; Marshall Field 14 1/2; Mo Kan Tex 31 1/2; Montgomery Ward 54 1/2; Nash Kely 6 1/2; Nat Bix 24; Nat Cash Reg 14 1/2; Nat Dairy Pr 17 1/2; N Y C 17 1/2; No Am Avia 25; North Amer Co 23; Nor Pac 8 1/2; Ohio Oil 7 1/2; Otis Steel 11 1/2; Owens Ill G 61; Packard Mot 3 1/2; Param Pict 7 1/2; Pennay 94 1/2; Penn R 12 1/2; Philip Mor 93 1/2; Phillips Pet 39; Pub Svc N J 42 1/2; Pullman 27; R C A 6 1/2; R K O 11 1/2; Rem Rand 10; Rep Mot Car 17 1/2; Repub Stl 22 1/2; Rey Tob B 42 1/2; Sears Roeb 87 1/2; She Un Oil 12 1/2; Soc Vac 12; Sou Pac 13 1/2; Sou Ry 17 1/2; Std Brands 7 1/2; Std Oil Cal 24; Std Oil Ind 27 1/2; Std Oil N J 43 1/2; Stewart Warn 8; Studebaker Corp 11 1/2; Swift & Co 23 1/2; Tex Corp 46 1/2; Tex Gulf Sul 12 1/2; Tex Tr 5 1/2; Timk Roll B 50 1/2; Twent C Fox 11 1/2; Unit Carb 84; Unit Air 49; Unit Corp 25; Unit Drug 6 1/2; Unit Fruit 8 1/2; U S Rob 36 1/2; U S Stl 63 1/2; U S Stl P 119 1/2; Warner Bros Pict 3 1/2; West Un Tel 24; Westingh Air Br 24 1/2; West El M 113 1/2; White Mot 13 1/2; Wilson & Co 5 1/2; Woolworth 4 1/2; Wrigley 90; Yell Tr & C 18 1/2; Youngst Sh & T 44 1/2.

## U. S. Bonds Close

(By The Associated Press)

Treas 3 1/2 43-40 101.3  
Treas 3 1/2 45-43 109.25  
Treas 4 1/2 54-44 114.25  
Treas 3 1/2 56-56 115.6  
Treas 4 1/2 52-47 120.30  
Treas 3 1/2 55-51 111.11  
Treas 2 1/2 58-56 107.4  
Red Farm Mtg 38-44 108.  
HOLC 2 1/2 44-42 104.8  
HOLC 3 1/2 54-44 107.26

## Geographically Nazi Sovereignty May Extend West

Washington, April 9.—(AP)—Germany's occupation of Denmark and invasion of Norway, if followed by a claim to sovereignty, could bring Adolf Hitler into what geographers, if not diplomats, speak of as the western hemisphere.

Denmark is no unit with Iceland under the term, "Kingdom of Denmark and Iceland", and has sovereignty over the island of Greenland.

Greenland and part of Iceland are placed by geographers in the western hemisphere. They have been surveyed as stopping points for a northern air route between the United States and Britain.

Further, a German claim to sovereignty over Norway and its territories might bring a conflict of claims with the United States over possession of Antarctic lands where American and Norwegian claims overlap.

The Iceland-Greenland-Antarctic situation is occasioning no great worry now but Denmark at one time owned a bevy of islands in the West Indies which, if she owned them still, might cause serious disquietude.

These islands, known as the Virgin Islands or Danish West Indies, were purchased by the United States in 1916, however, for \$25,000,000.

They were bought at a time when the American government feared Germany might invade Denmark, even as she has just now done, and claim sovereignty to the islands.

**Typhoid Patient Dies**  
**A Manteno Hospital**

Kankakee, Ill., April 9.—(AP)—Coroner A. E. Kerger of Kankakee county announced today that Horton Kettrelle, 27, a patient at the Manteno state hospital, died Sunday of typhoid fever.

Kettrelle, of Chicago, was one of two patients, the other a woman also from Chicago, who were described by hospital authorities last week as suspected typhoid cases.

A typhoid epidemic at the hospital last summer caused 60 deaths and brought about the indictment of four persons, among them State Welfare Director A. L. Bowen on a charge of gross omission of duty. Bowen went on trial recently, but the jury disagreed. A date for the second trial has not been fixed.

## RED RYDER



## A Job to Be Done



## By FRED HARMAN

who passed away in 1938. He had been in failing health for a number of months. He was a brother of the late W. L. Frank E. and Charles F., all well known in this community.

## Happy Birthday

APRIL 9  
Duane Bothe.

APRIL 10  
Dr. F. L. Hamilton; Ray Helrich; 2; Adeline Hanson; Amboy; Ezequiel Urratia, Nelson.

## Oil Wells of Illinois Set Record in March

Urbana, Ill., April 9.—(AP)—Illinois oil wells set a new production record during March with a yield estimated today at 13,425,000 barrels in the monthly drilling report of the state geological survey.

The output was 1,819,000 barrels greater than the previous yield in February.

For the first three months of 1940 the geological survey report estimated the production at 36,531,000 barrels—equal to approximately 40 per cent of the entire production during 1940.

March drilling activities resulted in the discovery of four new oil pools and the successful completion of 242 wells, three of them gas producers. There also were 39 dry holes.

## Lodge News

Townsend Club No. 1 will meet at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening in the Woodman hall. A new orchestra will provide music for dancing at the close of the meeting.

## Births

Sutton—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sutton, a son, at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital today. Before her marriage Mrs. Sutton was Miss Lucille Weiser.

Guitars were introduced into Spain by the Moors in 1288.

## DEAFNESS

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## Norway Will—

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about Germany's newest military stroke.

While events were moving rapidly in the northern nations, the German air force raided Britain's Cape Flow naval anchorage again. Britain admitted no damage but the Germans said at least one battleship had been hit.

"Against Invasion"

An official statement from Berlin said the German invasion had been ordered to "protect" Norway and Denmark "against hostile invasion."

## Warfare of—

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he would continue to recognize only Horner's authority.

Secretary of State, Edward J. Hughes refused to recognize Strelle's action in issuing a conflicting call for a special legislative session.

## Deaths

**CLARISSA BOSLOUGH**  
(Telegraph Special Service)

Mendota, April 9.—Miss Clarissa Boslough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Boslough, died at her home Monday afternoon at 4:15, after an illness of three weeks.

Miss Boslough lived with her sister, Miss Bessie Boslough, at 1902 Croker avenue. Her mother and father preceded her in death a number of years ago. Surviving are three sisters, Miss Bessie, of Mendota; Mrs. W. J. Amiller of Yakima, Wash., who is here at present; and Mrs. Viola Feik of Wichita, Kas. Two brothers, W. Boslough, of Rock Island and Delay Boslough of Mendota.

The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home. Rev. Jesse Hubert of Galesburg, a friend of the family, will officiate. Burial will be in Restland cemetery.

## Checks on Conservation Payments Expected Soon

Washington, April 9.—(AP)—Agriculture officials informed Representative Case (R-S.D.) today that checks for nearly \$600,000 in balances due on 1939 agricultural conservation payments would be mailed to farmers as soon as possible.

Case had asked that the checks be expedited because farmers needed the money to finance the spring planting.

The Senate and House adopted on April 3 a conference report making the money available from the next fiscal year's appropriation. President Roosevelt signed the bill containing this item yesterday.

The money to be disbursed to the north central regions totals \$22,348,217.

Japan makes airplane oils from whale and herring by-products.

## Funerals

## Suburban—

**MRS. RALPH DEAN**  
(Telegraph Special Service)

Ashton, April 9.—Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Dean, wife of Ralph J. Dean, publisher and editor of the Ashton Gazette were held on Monday afternoon at the Methodist church. The services which were largely attended were conducted by her pastor, Rev. Ralph M. Dreger. Music for the services consisted of two duets, "The Lord is My Shepherd", and "Just as My Father Wills", sung by Mrs. Rae Chadwick and Harry Wisman accompanied at the organ by Donna Maud Sunday. The pallbearers were John A. Torrens of Dixon, Paul W. Charters, C. R. Root, William F. Klingebell, Faust H. Boyd and Ralph Schaller. Those who cared for the large floral offerings were Mrs. Schaller, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Grafton and Mrs. William F. Klingebell.

Mrs. Dean united with the Methodist church at the age of 11 years and transferred her membership to the Ashton church when she came here to reside. She has been a faithful member and very active in the work of all the church organizations. She will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends and relatives who had grown to love her.

**LAWRENCE PIPER**

The funeral of Lawrence Piper, 76, of Polo, who passed away at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital Monday from pneumonia, will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Gatz, of near Polo, with whom he had made his home. The Rev. T. A. Leopert, pastor of the Methodist church, will officiate and burial will be in Fairmount.

Mr. Piper was born in Pennsylvania Dec. 9, 1863 and came to the vicinity of Polo in his young manhood. His wife preceded him in death ten years ago, survivors being two sons, Roy and Fred, and two daughters, Mrs. Addie Toms of Dixon and Mrs. Olive Gatz of Polo.

**Boy Scout News**

**Plan Program**—The Dixon men interested in the Boy Scout camp along Rock river will meet with others from the Blackhawk County area tonight at Oregon where the program for the summer will be considered.

The camp, located on land donated to the Scouts by former Governor Frank O. Lowden, is to be developed this spring. In the hope of opening it to the boys this summer, A. A. Stocker, Scout executive of this area was in Dixon yesterday exhibiting maps with the outline of the camp improvements.

Among those from Dixon who have been invited to attend the meeting tonight at the Sinissippi hotel in Oregon at 6:30 are: Elvin Bunnell, C. J. McLean, Daniel Branigan and Enos Keithley.

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# Dixon Lodge Elks' 39th. Installation

## Highlights in History of Elks Lodge in Dixon

The local lodge was organized and instituted May 2 1902 with 38 charter members. Steadily through the intervening years the value of the order has demonstrated itself in so many ways and the members have taken such an active part in the welfare of the community, especially in charity work and the little things which help to make life real, that today the lodge boasts a membership of over 500 and is ranked among the best and most active lodges in the nation.

A. C. Eaton was the first Exalted Ruler of Dixon lodge and he has been succeeded in that position by a number of prominent men of this community. The Past Exalted Rulers roster will be found elsewhere on this page.

When the lodge was first organized here in Dixon and for several years thereafter, meetings were held in the hall over the Dixon National Bank. In the winter of 1904-1905 the members sought more commodious quarters, and the Bovey building opposite the Telegraph office was leased. For many years the lodge grew and prospered in that building until in 1908 the demand for a club house became so imperative that the movement was started which resulted in the present fine Elks home.

Ground was broken for the building on Labor Day, 1911, under the supervision of the committee consisting of: Louis A. Pitzer, H. U. Bardwell, E. W. Smith, R. W. Thompson, Henry Schmidt, Blinn Smith, and Geo. W. Smith. Work progressed through the fall and winter and by early March 1912, it was made ready for occupancy.

**Celebrate Opening of New Home**  
On the evening of March 11, 1912 the handsome and well equipped banquet hall was inaugurated and the occasion has been an outstanding event in the memories of all those present. Over 300 attended the dinner and the most impressive ceremonies. The spirit of the occasion was conspicuous and a feeling of good will and thankfulness dominated every participant.

The banquet followed the lodge meeting and it was 10 o'clock before the happy Elks were seated. The menu was prepared by the ever popular House Committee consisting of Tom Young, Eli Rosenthal, M. J. Burright, R. W. Thompson and Chas. E. Miller. The efficient waiters who received the congratulations for their fine performances included: John Null, E. Soper, Stacey Green, James Bales, Clarence Resek, Will Ford, Walter Greig, Will Chiverton, Clarence Preston, Arthur McCrystal, Milo Stratton, John Schumaker, and Howard Johnson. C. H. Fallstrom supervised the floral decorations and his efforts resulted in a most beautiful setting for this event.

Attorney Clyde Smith presided as toastmaster and he filled the position in his usual pleasing manner with dignity, poise and grace which carried the program smoothly with introductions which were entertaining and spicy.

**Speakers**  
Robert Rexdale of Rock Island, a celebrated poet, reader and reciter made a few remarks, after which V. A. Matteson, the architect for the building, related some very interesting facts in connection with the plans and construction of the new building.

**District Deputy Doyle**  
Thomas Doyle, mayor of LaSalle and District Deputy of the order, responded with an oration, extolling the virtues of the B. P. O. Elks in the highest terms. Mayor W. B. Brinton of Dixon gave a brief and interesting talk. Frank Stevens, newly initiated, delighted the listeners with a number of humorous remarks. Father James J. Clancy of Fulton, a member of the local lodge, responded with words of praise for the Elks and the fine work they were doing and also complimented the members for having built such a fine home, a monument to the good work.

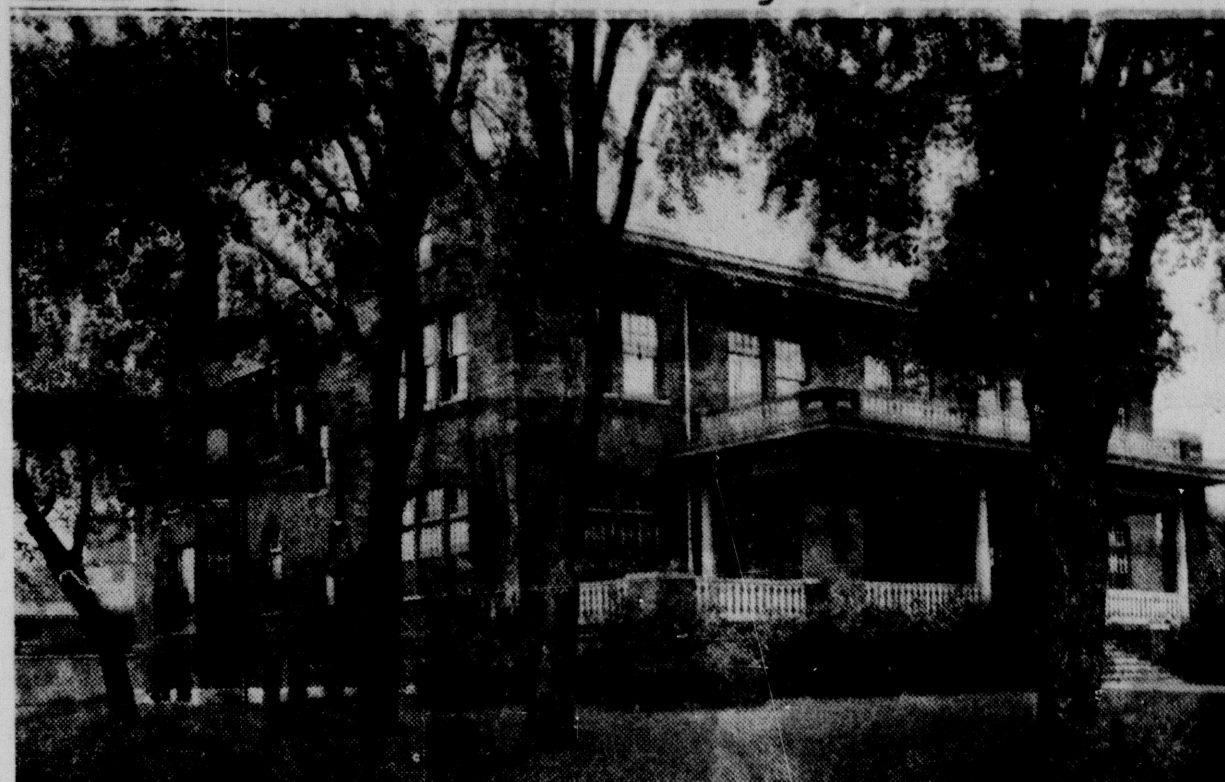
**Col. J. Hamilton Lewis**  
James Hamilton Lewis, then Democratic candidate for United States Senator, was the orator and feature of the celebration of the opening of the new Elks Home. Col. Lewis put his hearers in a most receptive frame of mind by relating a few amusing stories, after which, with the graces, expression and vocabulary which made him a favorite speaker, he praised the Elks for being so wonderful an organization.

**Spoke of Fraternity**  
"How often have we contemplated what the world owes to fraternity?" asked the speaker. "What could have been accomplished if in the beginning of things there had been such an organization as this, what welfare

## Charter Members

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1. Louis O. Rosbrook
  2. Albert C. Eaton
  3. Lee F. Cole
  4. G. A. Morris
  5. J. M. Batchelder
  6. John W. Null
  7. C. C. Kelley
  8. J. H. Harnish
  9. T. W. Fuller
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  13. W. H. Semon
  14. Joseph W. Staples
  15. Tim Sullivan
  16. H. A. White
  17. C. L. Rathbun
  18. C. C. Backus
  19. E. B. Owens
  20. T. A. Craig
  21. F. E. Morris
  22. Wm. E. McMahon
  23. G. B. Brubaker
  24. F. J. Miller
  25. E. W. Smith
  26. Lee Reed
  27. E. G. Dimick
  28. Chas. Dawson
  29. John H. Miller
  30. Wm. G. Couch
  31. A. W. Hoffmann
  32. M. H. Green
  33. Amos Bosworth
  34. Chas. F. Willey
  35. Thomas Sullivan
  36. F. L. Murray
  37. W. C. Thompson
  38. Thos. P. Barber.

## Club Home of Dixon Lodge B. P. O. Elks



The beautiful club home of the Dixon Lodge No. 779 B. P. O. Elks is located at the corner of E. Second street and Ottawa avenue. It was erected during the fall and winter of 1911-1912. This fine edifice not only serves as a club house for the local lodge, but has served Dixon and the community as a gathering place for many important events including a number not associated with the Elks program of activities. Dixon Elks have been leaders in this community for almost two decades.

## Officers of Dixon Lodge No. 779

### Leading Knight



MOREY C. PIRES

### Lecturing Knight



GERALD JONES

### Exalted Ruler



M. M. MEMLER

### Loyal Knight



RALPH L. ZARGER

### Secretary



WILLIAM NIXON



Past Exalted Ruler



WALTER M. SMITH

then performed by the appointed Grand Officers, after which Grand Exalted Ruler Mills addressed the assemblage:

"We come not alone to dedicate this building of ours, this edifice of stone, iron and wood, but we come to dedicate anew the grand structure of our Order, dedicated to the fatherhood of God, and the brotherhood of man, dedicated to the purpose of bringing sunshine and joy into places of darkness and sorrow, dedicated to the teaching that 'I am my brother's keeper', dedicated to the uplifting of our fellow men. So let it be with our work and our play to the end that the community shall be better and the lives of our associates more beautiful."

### Special Music

After the dedication, the Grand Lodge session was adjourned and music by the Marquette Orchestra was enjoyed for a half hour before the banquet rooms were opened.

### The Banquet

The tables and walls of the large dining hall were beautifully decorated with flowers and colored lights and the house committee served a delicious and bounteous dinner to 300 Elks. Inspiring toasts and several speeches followed the banquet and a happy social hour rounded out a complete and successful evening.

### Burning Last Bonds 1919

On June 8, 1919, the Elks celebrated with a "fire" at the Club by burning the last mortgage which marked complete payment for the building and the freedom of the lodge from all indebtedness.

Grand Exalted Ruler Bruce A. Campbell arrived in Dixon at about 8 o'clock and was welcomed to the club by the reception committee consisting of Exalted Ruler

Chas. E. Miller and all of the Past Exalted Rulers and officers of the lodge. A short lodge meeting was held after which the members and their many out-of-town guests retired to the dining room where they enjoyed a fine banquet.

### Speakers

At the conclusion of the feast, Toastmaster Chas. E. Miller gave a short talk followed by Col. W. B. Brinton, who in a few well selected and brief remarks, introduced the speaker of the evening, with whom he had been acquainted for many years.

Grand Exalted Ruler Campbell was the principal speaker and the following is a portion of his talk: "During the great war, over 750 Elks Homes and Clubs over the country were given over in whole or in part and were used as headquarters for the American Red Cross as well as for Liberty Loan headquarters. More than 60,000 members of this great order wore the uniform of the Army and Navy of the United States of America including that great American, Brother John J. Pershing, commander in

speaker and he was accorded a most warm welcome. Hon. Eugene Welch, of Galveston, president of the Illinois Elks Ass'n., paid a high tribute to the Dixon lodge. Louis Pitzer gave a chronology of the lodge. Others who spoke briefly included: Louis Forman, Grand Inner Guard of the Grand Lodge, from Bloomington; District Deputy Robert N. Crawford of Mendota; Past District Deputy Hugo Weyrauch of Sterling; Judge Harry Edwards; Exalted Ruler Nelson Millard of Aurora; Exalted Ruler H. A. Breckenridge of Rockford; Past Exalted Ruler O. E. Childs of Moline; Judge George D. O'Brien of Rochelle; and Past District Deputy Charles Swager of Sycamore.

### Booklet Published

One of the outstanding features of the 25th anniversary year was the publishing of a booklet containing many interesting facts in the history of the local lodge. For this fine publication much credit is due Mr. Elbert L. Fulmer, who was Exalted Ruler during the anniversary year.

### Veteran Elks Honored 1934

On October 23, 1934, the "Quarter Century" group was feted at a banquet at the club. This was in honor of all members who had been Elks for 25 years or longer. Of the 86 members having this distinction, over 50 were present. Short talks consisting of some very interesting incidents were given by Judge William L. Leach, Ed. Vail, H. C. Warner, Chas. E. Miller, Dr. E. S. Murphy, and Louis Pitzer. The Elks quartette entertained with several novel numbers.

### Grand Lodge—St. Louis, 1939

A large delegation of members attended the Grand Lodge convention at St. Louis during last July, at which time H. C. Warner, of this city, was elected to the office of Grand Exalted Ruler, an account of which is given elsewhere on this page.

### Prospects Are Bright

The future of the Elks in Dixon is assured. With its present fine home, its active members, its capable officers, its ever-present spirit of charity and brotherly love, and its constant adherence to the principles which have made Elks honored all over the nation, the future generations in Dixon will maintain the organization and will be proud to be a part of it.

## Activities, 1940

The charitable program for many years at the holiday season has provided happy Christmas for deserving families, who, had it not been for the existence of the Dixon Elks, might not have been remembered. Each year the Elks Christmas basket committee has provided many holiday dinners to whole families, their activities not being confined only to Dixon, but to the entire community.

**Crippled Children's Program**  
In recent years, the Dixon Elks, in cooperation with the state wide program of the Illinois Elks association, have attracted nation-wide attention and commendation, in the inauguration of the crippled children's program. The success of this undertaking brought recognition from the state of Illinois and the worthy program is now under the direction of a state commission and complete staff.

### Warner Pioneer

Mr. Warner, Grand Exalted Ruler, was a pioneer in organizing and developing the crippled children's program in Illinois. He has been continuously active in this work for many years, and at the present time, heads two of the largest organizations active in this work, being chairman of both the State Crippled Children's Commission, two distinctly separate organizations.

### Flag Day

Flag day services are held annually on the evening of June 14, commemorating the birth of the American flag. Weather permitting, these meetings are usually held at Hay Market Square. On this occasion, short ceremonies are conducted by the officers of the lodge, the history of the flag is given by one of the members and a patriotic address is presented by a prominent speaker.

On account of the strife in the world to-day and the war and unrest in European countries, it is planned to make the event this year of special interest to the entire community. All patriotic organizations will be invited to participate and an interesting program is already under way. Attorney Gerald Jones is chairman of the committee in charge of the arrangements.

### Dixon—The City Beautiful

A campaign has been launched for a more beautiful city—one to stimulate the interest of every citizen in the pride of our homes in Dixon. The nature of this program will be to make every yard more beautiful, every home more attractive, every person more conscious of the possibilities of his efforts along these lines, thereby

## Elks G. E. R.



HENRY C. WARNER

At the Grand Lodge convention held in St. Louis July 10th to 13th, 1939, Henry C. Warner of the local lodge was elected head of the National Organization of Elks. His selection to this honored position came without opposition at the convention on July 11th, when a Past Exalted Ruler of the local lodge, the Hon. John P. Devine, placed his name before the convention for this outstanding and deserved honor.

This was the seventy-fifth session of the Grand Lodge and the third time since the turn of the century that Illinois has been honored in the selection of the Grand Exalted Ruler. In 1918, Bruce A. Campbell of East St. Louis was elected to this position and in 1932, Floyd E. Thompson of Moline received this honor.

For a number of years, Mr. Warner has been very active in Elks work in Illinois and in the nation. The part which he has taken and the intense interest in Elksdom which he has displayed, has especially qualified him to serve in the capacity of the signal honor bestowed upon him. He is a Past Exalted Ruler of Dixon Lodge, having served in 1926; a Past District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler of Illinois Northwest; Past President Illinois Elks Association; Chairman Illinois State Crippled Children's Commission; Past Grand Esquire; Past Grand Trustee; and particularly active in the crippled children's work of the local lodge.

As Grand Exalted Ruler, Mr. Warner maintains a commodious suite of offices at 121½ Galena Avenue. A competent staff, including Warren H. Badger, secretary to the Grand Exalted Ruler; Wm. Frazor, special representative; and several stenographers; assist in handling the large volume of business and correspondence involved in carrying on the work of the National Organization. Mr. Warner has been making a number of extensive trips by road, by rail and by air, visiting lodges all over the United States. Mrs. Warner often accompanies her husband on these occasions and the popularity of both has been voiced by the many articles and pictures appearing in the Elks National Magazine, relating events of their visits to the various lodges.

Having a Grand Exalted Ruler representing the head of 1500 lodges composed of a membership of over 500,000 is a distinct honor for the local lodge and to the city of Dixon.

## Prominent Men of U. S. Are Members of Elks

Many of the prominent public officials are members of the Elks, most of them for many years. The President of the United States, Franklin D. Roosevelt is a member of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Lodge No. 275; Vice-President John Nance Garner is a Life Member of Del Rio, Texas, No. 837; Postmaster General James A. Farley, Haverhill, N. Y., No. 877. In addition to those already mentioned, the list includes 40 governors of the states and territories; 64 of the 95 eligible members of the United States Senate; 220 of the 425 eligible members of the House of Representatives; and the Mayors of many of our important cities.

The local lodge here in Dixon can well be proud of its membership, having men from the various walks of life including tradesmen; the leading business men of the city; representatives of every local industry; men prominent in public affairs, church organizations, and civic movements; and the outstanding professional men in the community.

Public schools were opened in the Philippine islands in 1906,

resulting in a more "Beautiful City". A committee is now at work drafting detailed plans for this fine undertaking. The cooperation of other organizations is invited to assist in this laudable work. The chairman of the Elks committee to promote this community feature, will be announced at a later date.

## Elks Install New Officers; Memler is Exalted Ruler

Last night, ceremonies were held at the local Elks Home marking the 39th installation of officers since the inception of Lodge No. 779 in Dixon back in 1902. A large representation of members was present to witness the impressive services closing the 38th year of Dixon Lodge and the launching of activities for the 39th year. Grand Exalted Ruler Henry C. Warner officiated in the installation and he was assisted in the induction services by a number of Past Exalted Rulers of Dixon Lodge. It is an honor rarely available to an Elks Lodge to have the pleasure of the Grand Exalted Ruler to serve on this occasion.

Walter M. Smith was the retiring Exalted Ruler and he is to be commended on the fine showing and the success which the lodge has enjoyed the past year. A fine increase in membership has been recorded since the installation a year ago.

**Wm. Nixon—Veteran Secretary**  
For the 29th consecutive time in as many years, William Nixon was installed as secretary and it is believed that he holds the record for this distinction for the entire state and possibly this could also include a number of other states. His untiring efforts on behalf of the local lodge and his genial personality have done much toward the success of Elksdom in Dixon.

Meiton M. Memler, the newly installed Exalted Ruler, was elected delegate to the Grand Lodge Convention which is to be held in Houston, Texas in July.

The following officers were installed and committees were appointed to conduct the activities for the coming year:

**Officers**  
Exalted Ruler—Merton M. Memler.  
Esteemed Leading Knight—Morey C. Pires.  
Esteemed Loyal Knight—Ralph L. Zarger.  
Esteemed Lecturing Knight—Gerald Jones.  
Secretary—Wm. Nixon.  
Treasurer—Vernon Tennant.  
Tiler—Charles Duis.  
Trustee for three years—Charles E. Miller.  
Delegate to the Grand Lodge Convention—M. M. Memler.  
Alternate Delegate—Walter M. Smith.  
Delegates to the state convention—Morey C. Pires, Ralph Zarger, Gerald Jones, Walter Smith and Warren Badger.  
Alternate delegates to State Convention—Wm. V. Slothover, Homer K. Millard, Chester Barriage, J. H. Hall and Dr. Raymond Worsley.

**Appointments.**  
Appointments were announced as follows:  
Chaplin—Wayne C. Smith  
Organist—Harry Raffenberg.  
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## Ladies' Auxiliary of Elks Lodge Is Active Socially

The Elks Ladies' Auxiliary includes about sixty active members. The wives of the members of the Elks lodge are eligible for membership and any one of the ladies desiring to join this group should call one of the officers and arrangements will be made to acquaint them with the organization and its activities.

Meetings are held at the club house at 2 p. m. on the first and third Fridays of each month except for a short period during the summer months when the meetings are discontinued during the vacation season. Each meeting includes a short business session followed by contract bridge at the close of which prizes are awarded to those excelling in the favorite pastime.

The present officers are:  
President, Mrs. Robert Brewster.  
Vice-Pres., Mrs. H. F. Walder.  
Sec.-Treas., Mrs. Charles Sworm, Jr.

Besides the social gatherings, the ladies are active in assisting the House Committee in serving banquets on special occasions. They also plan suppers which are arranged during the winter for the Elks and their Ladies.

The Ladies, under the direction of their staff of able officers and committees, have been very active the past year and much has been accomplished. Their program for the coming year is especially interesting and will include a constructive feature of making improvements and additions to certain facilities of the club, as well as a definite and ambitious program of social activities.

Construction work in the United States in 1939, including federal projects, amounted to about ten billion dollars, an increase of 12 per cent over 1938.



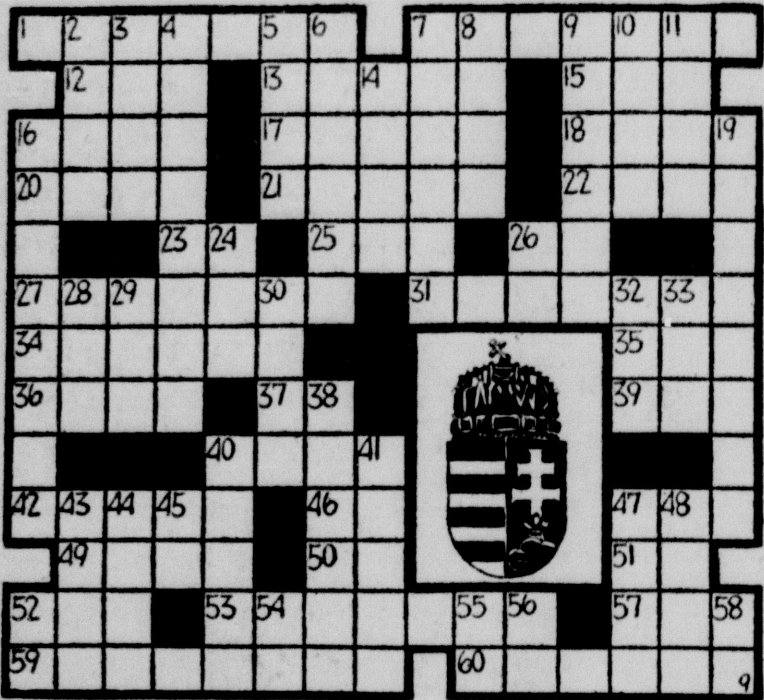
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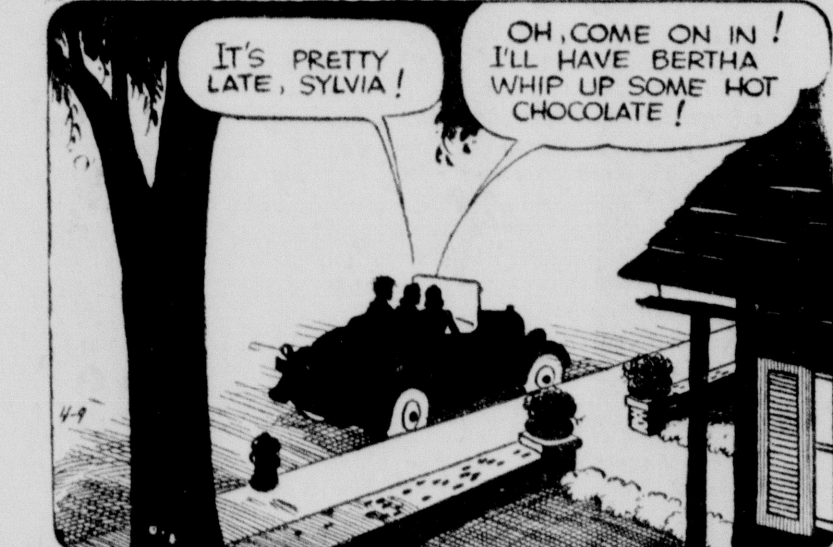


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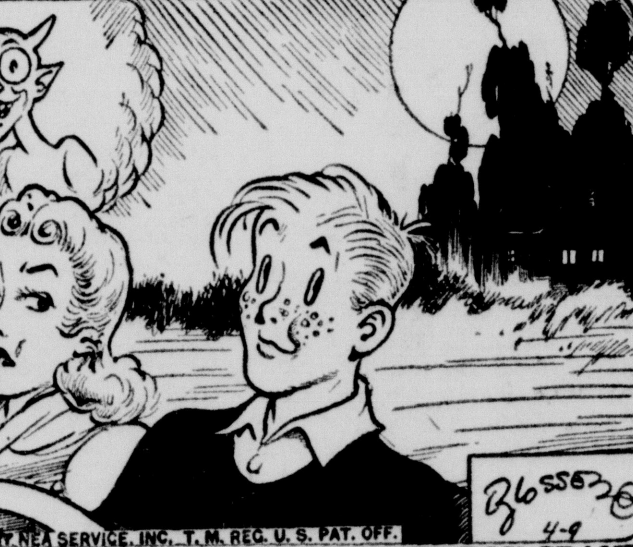
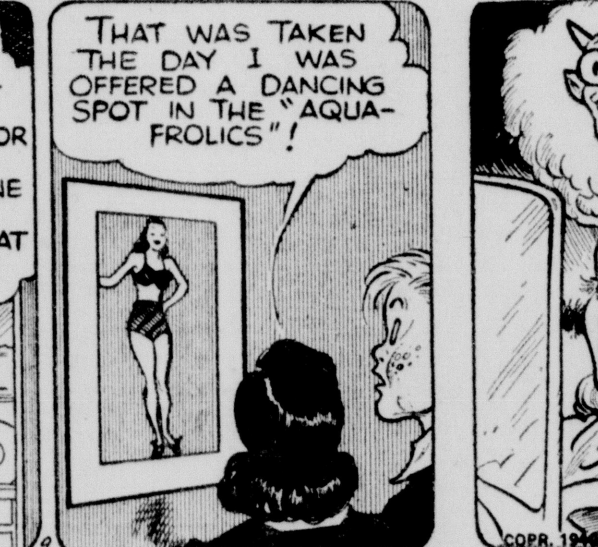


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**MEN 2—With cars and delivery experience.** Opening April 15. Good permanent opportunity in profitable established business. Write BOX 104, Dixon Evening Telegraph.

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IT'S A BIG ASSIGNMENT—EVEN FOR SCIENCE

HEROES ARE MADE—NOT BORN

IT'S WILLIAMS

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## Day's Primaries in Nebraska and Illinois Watched

### PRIMARY AT A GLANCE

(By The Associated Press)  
Polls open from 6 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Precincts—Cook county, 4,376; downstate 3,960; total, 8,336.

To be nominated—Democratic and Republican candidates for United States Senator, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor of Public Accounts, State Treasurer and Attorney General, as well as for representatives in congress, state senators in even-numbered districts, representatives in general assembly, delegates to national nominating conventions, alternates, state central committee members and trustees of the east side leve and sanitary district.

Presidential advisory vote—Republican ballots will carry the name of Thomas E. Dewey; Democratic, those of President Roosevelt and Vice President Garner.

Weather forecast—Fair, moderate temperatures.

(By The Associated Press)

Illinois and Nebraska provided two more farm belt tests today of the popularity of the Roosevelt third term movement and of Thomas E. Dewey, campaigning for the Republican presidential nomination.

Dewey, who won Wisconsin's 24 Republican delegates last week over Senator Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan, was matched against the same opponent in the Nebraska primary. He had no party opposition in Illinois.

The Democratic situation was the reverse. Roosevelt, who has given no hint as to whether he would accept another nomination, was unopposed in Nebraska. In Illinois, however, the third term forces reached a showdown with supporters of Vice-President Garner.

Twofold interest centered on the Illinois voting for 50 national convention delegates. (Eight additional ones will be chosen in state conventions.)

Seek Big Vote in Illinois

The Kelly-Nash Democratic organization was avowedly out to roll up a big vote for Roosevelt on the theory that an overwhelming victory would lead to his early renomination. Garner men, on the other hand, pinned hopes on a showing formidable enough to curb third-term talk.

The heavy-vote psychology likewise was uppermost with the Dewey forces. They hoped a large turnout for the New York prosecutor would hearten Republicans in a state which may be pivotal in November.

In Nebraska 14 delegates were at stake in each party. Dewey, in a final appeal to the state where he has appeared twice, asked voters as "a rebuke to the new deal administration".

Vandenberg did not campaign in the state but presented his cause by radio.

The results of presidential preference voting are not binding on delegates in either Nebraska or Illinois.

Contests for Democratic senatorial nominations evidenced the voting in both states. In Nebraska, Senator Edward Burke sought renomination against Gov. R. L. Cochran. Burke was a leading opponent of the Roosevelt court bill and some other new deal measures.

In Illinois, Senator James M. Slattery was a candidate to continue serving the unexpired term of the late J. Hamilton Lewis. He headed a Democratic state ticket backed by Gov. Henry Horner and the Kelly-Nash forces. Opposing him was Benjamin S.

Adamowski, a state legislative leader.

Lieut. Gov. John Stelle, anti-organization aspirant to the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, abruptly proclaimed himself "Acting Governor" yesterday in an effort to supersede the ailing state executive. Horner, backing Stelle's primary opponent, Harry B. Hershey, termed the move "pathetic antics", and insisted "I will continue to serve as governor".

Among nominees selected today were those for Lieutenant Governor, State Treasurer, Attorney General, Secretary of State and two congress-at-large posts.

In addition nominations were made for all 153 seats in the state assembly, the 25 district seats in congress, and half, or 25, of the state senators.

The principal contenders for the major office were:

Republican

Governor—Dwight H. Green of Chicago, formerly United States District Attorney, and Richard J. Lyons of Libertyville, veteran state legislator.

Senator—C. Wayland Brooks of Chicago, unsuccessful candidate for governor in 1936, and Ralph E. Church of Evanston, veteran congressman.

Democratic

Governor—John Stelle of McLeansboro, and Harry Hershey of Taylorville.

Senator—Senator James M. Slattery of Chicago, the incumbent, and State Rep. Benjamin S. Adamowski, Chicago, house minority leader.

Two violent deaths marked the end of the Illinois campaign yesterday. State Representative A. Andrew Torrence, a negro Republican, was shot and slashed while in his Chicago campaign headquarters by Cornelius Woodward, a negro and former precinct captain, who then committed suicide by taking poison. Investigators said they had quarrelled over a job.

## The War Today—

(Continued from Page 1)

will be most surprising if the allies are slow in carrying out their promise "to extend full aid" to Norway, and to "fight the war in full association" with their new recruit.

We now shall get a chance to see the speed of Britain's new director of military operations, First Lord of the Admiralty Winston Churchill, whose handicraft one seems to see in the placing of the Narvik minefield which will rank in history as one of the most important of its kind.

There is small chance that the war won't spread, now that it is aflame in the north, Sweden probably will be involved shortly. The Netherlands is in the path of the avalanche. There will be nothing easier than for Belgium to get caught.

At this moment you would be reckless to give a dime for Rumania's chances of safety, and this means that the whole Balkan peninsula is in danger. Now that the lid is off, Germany most certainly will make sure of Rumania's oil supplies, which are vital to the reich.

The positions of Russia and Italy are, of course, of vast moment. Neither has indicated its abandonment of non-belligerency, nor is either likely to, pending a clarification of the situation.

The fiction that the mere wish and effort of a European state to remain neutral can make it so has been disclosed of finally by the events of the past two days—the mine laying and the German occupations.

Norway charged an open breach of international law against the allies for laying the mines. England and France admitted that this action wouldn't be lawful in ordinary circumstances but claimed that "illegal" German acts justified these counter-measures.

Norway was reported as shocked by the development. Still, I don't believe the allied action came as such a great shock to most of Europe, since their naive explanation, so much favored by school-boys in excusing adventures out of bounds merely called attention to a situation which had existed since the beginning of the war.

This was that all the belligerents had been "rolling their own" when it came to international law. The law as it had been known flew out the window when the war came in at the door. Each combatant had more or less been making

his own brand of law to fit the position as he had seen it.

However, most people have become accustomed to this situation. The World War saw virtually all the existing rules broken and all the rights of neutrals violated.

The present war thus far has been largely economic, with both sides battling for the favor of the neutrals. Every nation in Europe, big and little, has been involved in this economic catatonic.

The truth is that neutrality has been almost impossible under the circumstances. Whether they have wanted to or not most of the "neutrals" of Europe in one way or another have had their roots sunk in this war.

The plunging of Norway and Denmark into the conflict is indeed shocking. But we must be prepared to accept the unalterable fact that when great empires are in a life-and-death struggle they are not going to stand on ceremony in trying to preserve themselves and defeat the enemy. That is tough on third parties, but war has no conscience and that's the way it goes.

The position of the United States naturally becomes more delicate with the spread of the war. Because of the increased dangers, this is the moment when Americans should safeguard their neutrality if ever they did. It is at times like this that some sensational incident may cause a public to stampede—and there are plenty of people in Europe who want to see us in the conflict.

## Elks Install—

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Esquire—Victor Eichler.

Inner Guard—Elbert L. Fulmer.

House Comm.—Robert Depuy,

chairman; O. H. Martin, assistant

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Raymond Worsley, John Salzman,

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